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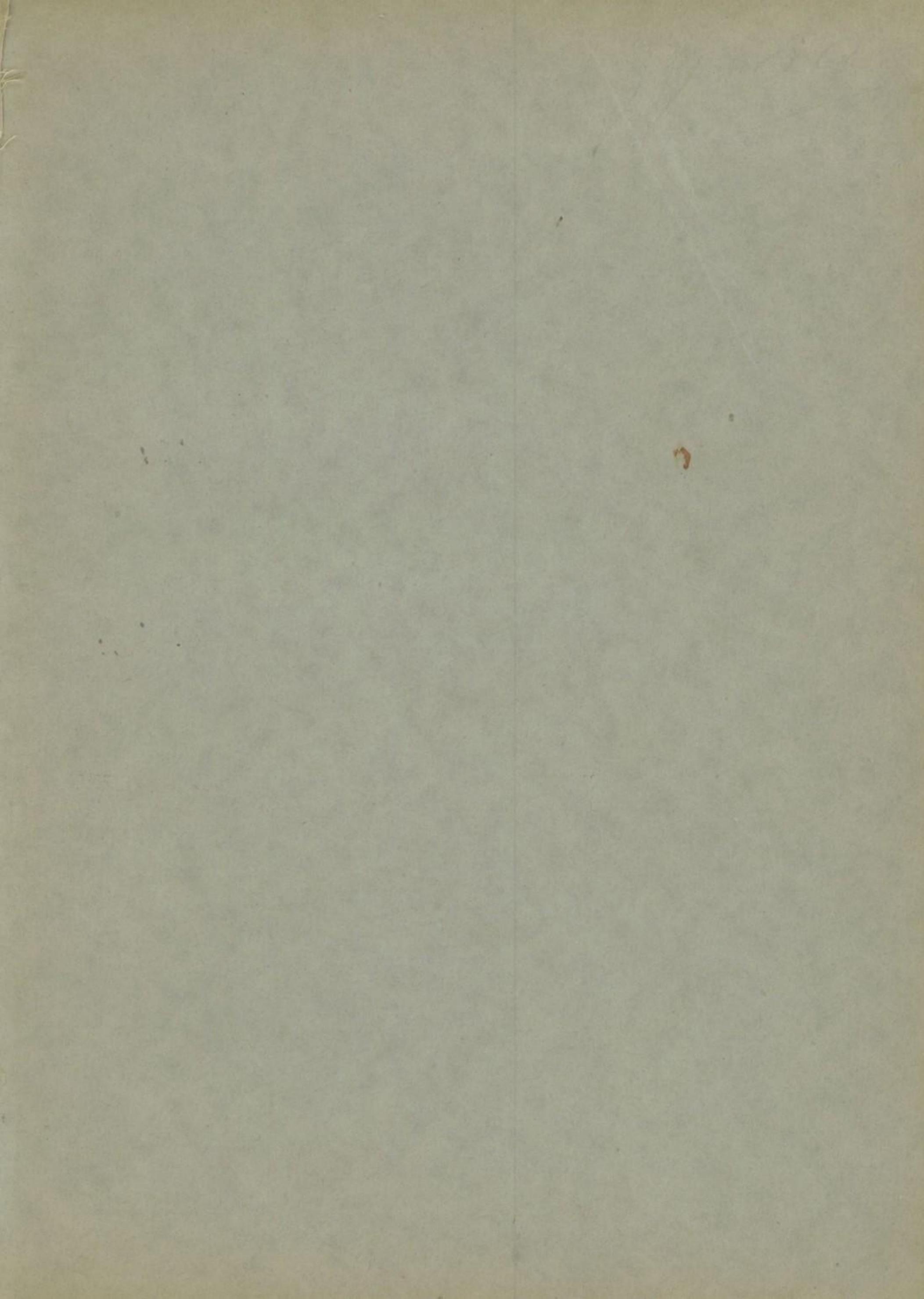
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In spite of the short time Mr. Fisher has been Superintendent of Peoria Public Schools, his friendliness and inspiration have made him a host of admirers in our number.

It is with deep and sincere appreciation that we, the students of Peoria High School, dedicate to him this, our third volume
of
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F O R E W O R D

To fulfill its purpose, a year-book should be a storehouse of memory—a reminder of days gone by. If, in any way, we have succeeded in bringing to the printed page something of the happiness and spirit of our high school days, our efforts will not have been in vain.



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Calculating

Illinois Normal
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NORMA BULLOCK

Typewriting

Eureka College
Illinois Normal
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French

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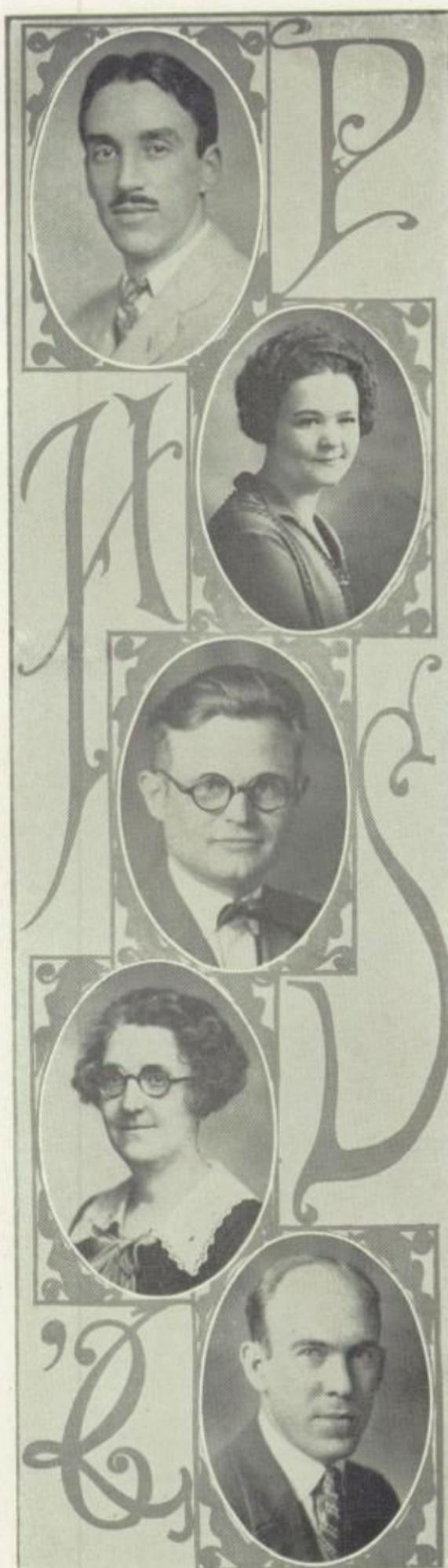
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Secretary to Principal

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Mechanical Drawing and Shop

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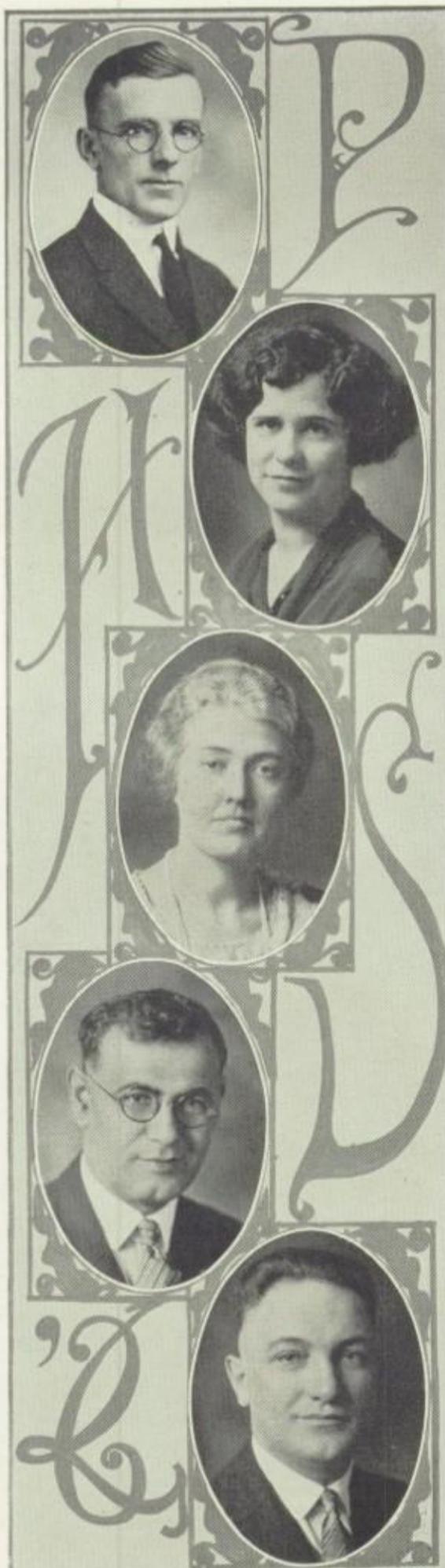
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Branch
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Commercial Arithmetic

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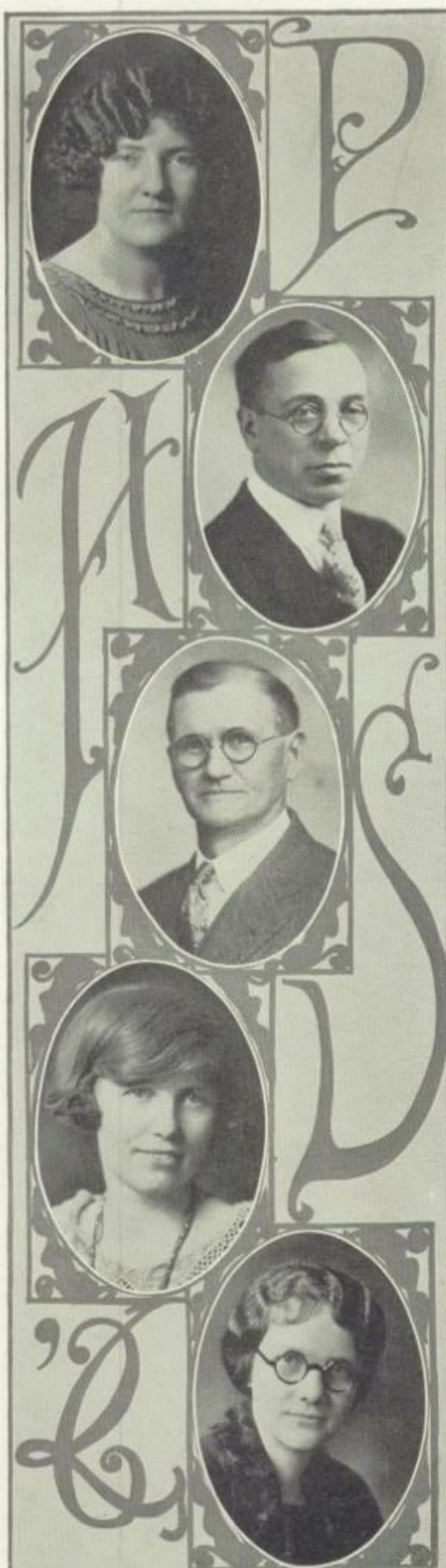
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History

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Economics and Commercial Civics

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Physics, General Science, and Algebra

Buena Vista College
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Salem College
P. H. S. 1923—

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Chicago Music College
Illinois Womens' College
Busche Conservatory
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Lucy Catherine Stuntz

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Brown's Business College
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Commercial Geography

Illinois Normal
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Shop and Woodturning

University of Wisconsin
Stout Institute
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Spanish

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University of Southern California
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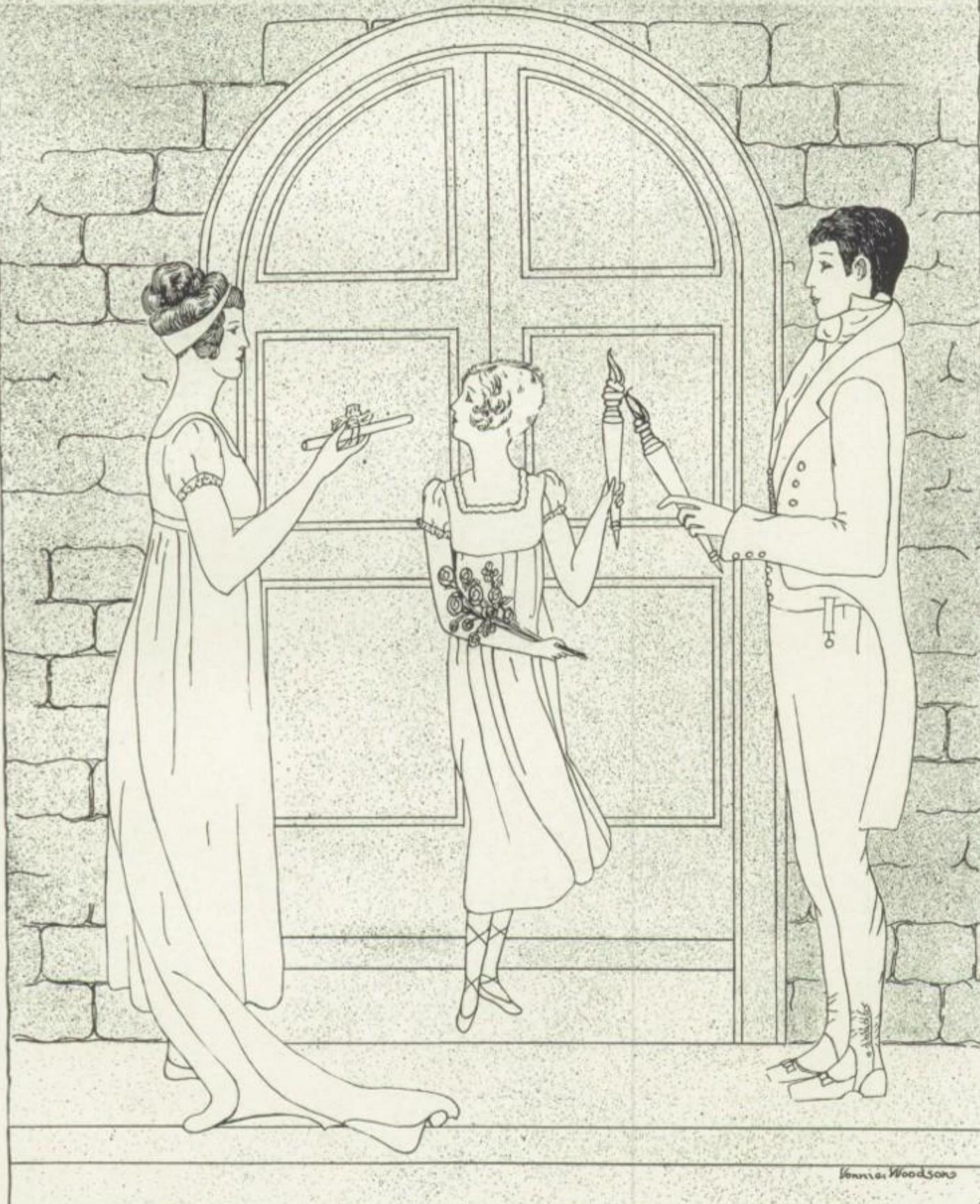


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HARRIET TODD

President of Senior Class, Alpha Ophelia, President of Beta Ophelia, Alumni Secretary of National Honor Society, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Senior Editor of *Crest*, Jusendra, Glee Club, "La Marraine de la Guerre."

Capable and understanding president of our Senior class is Harriet; and just loads of fun when she lays aside the dignity of her lofty office and joins the rest of us for a good frolic.

LEROY KENNEDY

Vice-President of Senior Class, President of Group, Group Baseball, Captain of Group Baseball, Golf Team, Class Basketball, Jusendra.

Leroy is quiet and reserved. He has diligently and faithfully performed every task given him. What more need be said?

MARTHA MARIE PRICE

Secretary of Senior Class, Alpha Ophelia, News Editor of *Opinion*, Vice-President of Social Science Club, President of Group, Vice-President of National Honor Society, Jusendra, Tri-S, English Club, Student Council, Science and Math Club, *Opinion* Reporter, "La Marraine de la Guerre."

Marty and her good deeds are the eighth wonder of the world.

WILLIAM GAUSS

Treasurer of Senior Class, Secretary-Treasurer of Philaxia, President and Business Manager of the Band, Commercial Club, Secretary of Group, Typing Team, English Club, "Nevertheless."

Bill is the expert teaser of the school. Whenever he is absent we find ourselves marvelling that the old school runs at all without him.

VIVIAN ALLAN

Tri-S, Music Club, Glee Club, Social Science Club, *Opinion* Reporter, "The Magic Wheel," Jusendra.

Clever, excitable Vivian, with her wonderful plans of growing tall and wide knowledge of people and books.



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MARY ASHER

Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Opinion Reporter.

Dit has a very sunny disposition and ever so many things to talk about.

JOHN BABB

Football Team, President of Group.

John is always giving everyone a big surprise, and the newer the bigger.

BRANSON BAKER

Student Police, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Branson always has his own ideas, and he certainly can express them.

LIONEL BALL

President of Group, Jusendra, Class Basketball, Group Basketball, Stage Crew, "Adam and Eva."

A modern Lochinvar, dashing and fearless—is Lionel.

HAZEL BARTLEY

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Hazel has an amazing number of witty remarks, and we think she would make an excellent entertainer.

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FERN BACHMAN

Fern has been with us just long enough to become acquainted, and now has left before we've had a chance to tell her how glad we are to know her.

RUBY BARTON

Vice-President of Group, *Opinion* Reporter, Glee Club, Jusendra, G. A. A.

Dainty, saucy-looking, and well-liked. It must run in the family.

VERNON BAUMFLECK

President of Group, Track Team, Football Team, Class Basketball, Class Baseball, Secretary of Group, Sergeant-at-Arms of Group.

Vernon is our all-round athlete—Track, football, basketball, and baseball, with wonderful records in all.

MILDRED BECKER

Jusendra, Commercial Club.

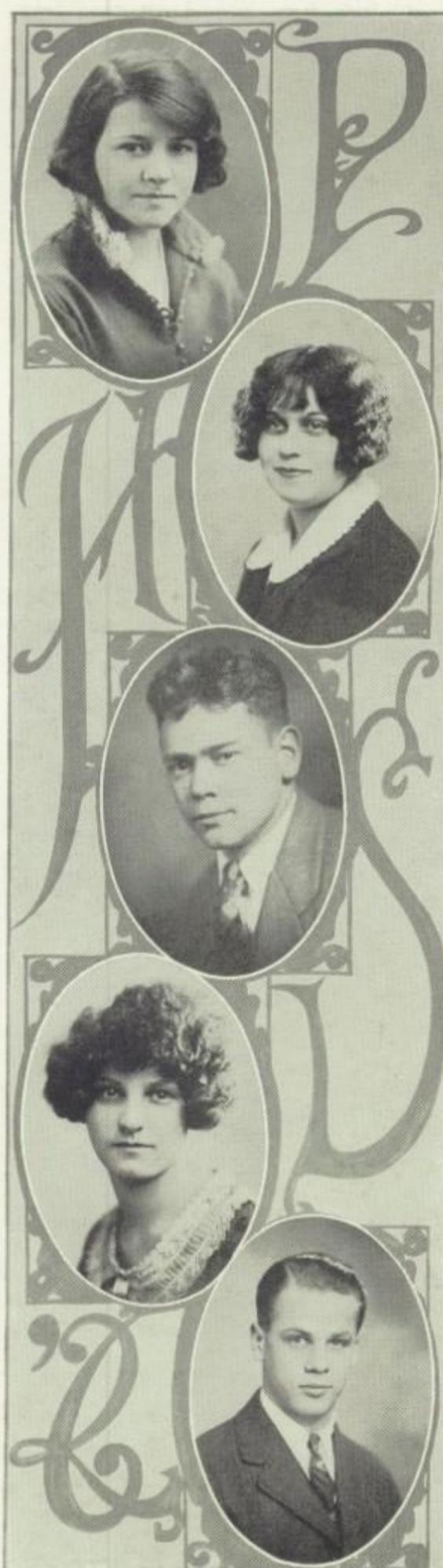
We made up a "bee-you-ti-ful" poem for Mildred. It goes like this:

*Mildred is shy
And hasn't much to say,
And she'll be a private secretary
Some fine day!*

FRANK BELSLEY

Football Team, Class Basketball, Group Basketball, Stage Crew, Student Prefects.

Frank is a good friend, a capable manager, and a well-liked student.



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DOROTHY BENJAMIN

Vice-President of Group, G. A. A., Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club.

Dorothy's demure glances belie her mischievous ways.

BLANCHE BENTON

Student Council, Jusendra, Orchestra, National Honor Society, Debating Club, "The Obstinate Family."

Blanche's good nature and her love of a good time have won her many friends during these high school days.

VIOLA BERG

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Viola's golden curls and laughing eyes are the kind that poets rave about.

EVELYN BEST

English Club, Jusendra, Science and Math Club, Social Science Club, Glee Club, Tri-S.

Evelyn is very quiet and dependable, and she thoroughly enjoys anything humorous.

PAUL BEST

Class Basketball, Jusendra, Social Science Club, Secretary of Group, Group Basketball, "A Night at an Inn."

Paul's ability to converse easily and his curly locks are often a source of envy.

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GALE BLAKESLEE

Band, Orchestra, Treasurer of Group, Vice-President of Group.

Gale's blush and quiet demeanor please us all.

DOROTHEA BLENDER

Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, English Club, Jusendra, Student Council, Science and Math Club.

Dorothea is never without a joke or witty remark to spring on you.

THOMAS BLENDER

Football, Class Track, Jusendra.

Tom always appears dignified, but we're not letting looks deceive us.

DONALD BODINE

Jusendra, Vice-President of Group, Band.

Donald is quiet and rather bashful, but everyone admires him.

JACK H. BONTJES

Student Council, English Club, Debating Team, Managing Editor of *Opinion* and *Crest*, Assistant business manager of Jusendra, Student Police, President of Philaxia, President of Finance Board.

Capable, ambitious, helpful—is it any wonder Jack is so popular with both teachers and students?



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HAZEL BOOTZ

Jusendra, Commercial Club.

By her effective work in the Commercial Club, Hazel has shown her love for P. H. S.

JOSEPH M. BOSENURY, JR.

Manager Stage Crew, Chairman, decorations for Junior Prom, Captain Student Police, Advertising Manager *Opinion*, Assistant Manager of Press, Jusendra.

Joe is jack of all trades—and their master, too.

FRANCES BOSTON

Opinion Reporter, Alpha Opheleia, English Club, Student Council, Vice-President of Group, National Honor Society, "The Wishing Well."

Frances is our beloved Lorelei.

DOROTHY BOWEN

Jusendra.

Dorothy always seems ready to laugh; but her manner assures you she'd much rather laugh with you than at you.

MARY BOWLES

Vice-President of Group, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Treasurer of Group.

Loyalty and amiability are sweet Miss Mary's chief characteristics.

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ELLEN BRAYSHAW

Commercial Club, Jusendra, Vice-President of Group.

Ellen's calm, assured manner makes us think of her as "Life-Saver."

JEANETTE BREMER

G. A. A., Jusendra, Tri-S, Social Science Club.

Jeanette is known for her pleasant smile and inexhaustible store of energy.

LOUIS BRILL

President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Jusendra, Student Police, English Club, Group Basketball, Athletic Editor of *Opinion*.

Louis never has much to say but he surely has made the sports column a live one.

EVA BROWN

Jusendra, G. A. A., Commercial Club.

Eva is a good friend and a good student.

HOWARD BROWN

Student Police, Student Council, Vice-President of Group, Secretary of Group, Group Basketball, Bulletin Board Chief, Philaxia, Social Science Club, Jusendra, Hi-Y, English Club, Treasurer of Junior Class, "Adam and Eva."

Howard had the lead in our Senior play. He is the "man of affairs" about school.



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JEAN BROWN

Opinion Reporter, Chairman of Service Committee for Tri-S, Chairman of Entertainment for Junior Prom, Vice-President of Student Council, Beta and Alpha Opheleia, President of National Honor Society, President of Tri-S, Secretary of Group, President of Group, Jusendra, Chairman of Book Exchange, Valedictorian, "The Rivals," "The Obstinate Family."

There's never any use in trying to introduce Jean—everybody knows her. Just look at her list of activities and determine for yourself how invaluable she is.

WILLIAM BROWN

Assistant School Treasurer, Treasurer of Group, Secretary of Group, Captain of Stage Crew, Business Manager of Jusendra, Glee Club.

"Bill" has his own way of making friends, and holds a deep place in their hearts.

RUTH BROWNELL

Alpha Opheleia, President of Group, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Secretary of Beta Opheleia.

Such a likeable girl is Ruth that even her frowns are sweet.

VIRGINIA BROWNELL

Secretary of Jusendra, Social Science Club, Secretary of Group, President of Group, Golf Team, Science and Math Club, Club Editor of *Crest*.

Virginia's name ought to be "Merry Sunshine," she always finds at least one thing to laugh about each day. She's a real sport.

GORDON BRYAN

Student Police, "Adam and Eva," Jusendra.

Gordon is so frank, funny and friendly that even his teachers laugh with him.

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ELIZABETH BUCHANAN

Student Council, Jusendra, Social Science Club, *Opinion* Reporter, "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife," Glee Club.

"Liz" is a variable young lady, so far as moods are concerned; but no matter what her mood, we like her.

RUTH BUCK

Vice-President of Music Club, Glee Club, Jusendra, Secretary of Group, "The Magic Wheel," "The Trysting Place," Fiat Lux."

Another Loerlei is Ruth—a songstress with real *curls* and happy eyes.

ELSIE BURRIS

Jusendra.

Elsie is another tiny miss with an immense lot of cheer.

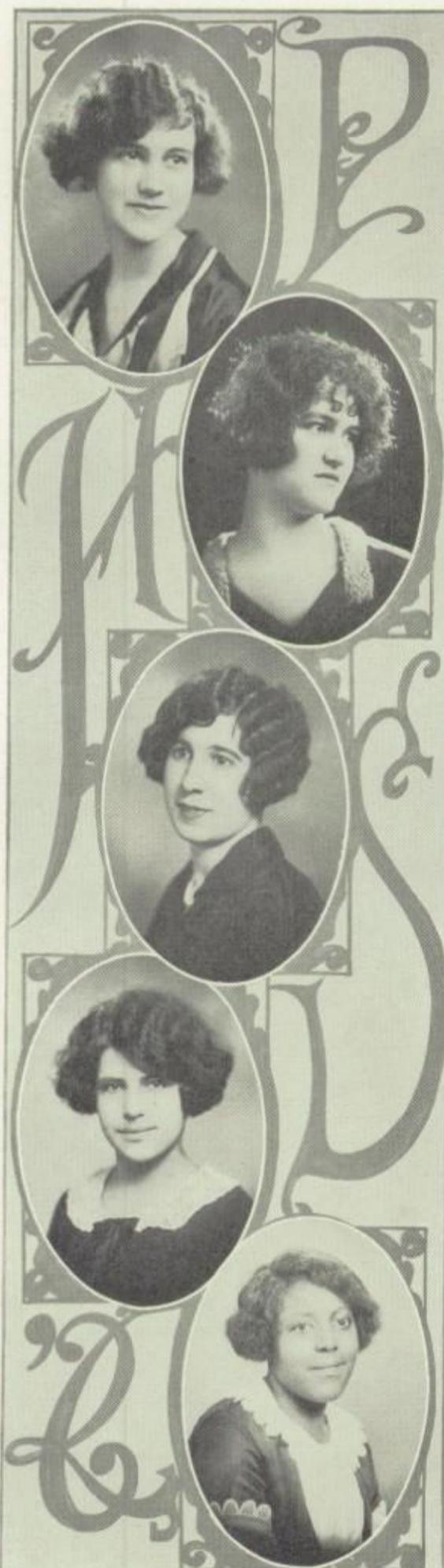
RUTH BURROUGHS

Jusendra, Social Science Club, Music Club, Glee Club.

Ruth is usually very serious, but she can be just as humorous.

LUCILLE CAIN

Lucille is of a retiring nature but she has a pleasant way about her.



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HOMER CALDWELL

Football Team, Student Police, Vice-President of Group, Social Science Club, Science and Math Club, English Club, Hi-Y, Jusendra, Sergeant-at-Arms of Group, "The Magic Wheel."

When you hear "Sure!" and "Oh gosh!" you won't be a bit surprised to find Homer somewhere near.

CHARLES CALEY

Student Police, Organizations Editor of *Crest*, Social Science Club, Jusendra.

Charles is always ready for a serious argument and is ever conscientious in all his work. Those one-sided debates in history class!

RUTH CAMPBELL

Social Science Club, Jusendra, English Club, Science and Math Club, Vice-President of Group.

Ruth is rather shy and quiet but she's a wonder at writing stories.

GEORGE CARTER

Football Team.

We can't remember a time when we haven't seen at least three of George's host of friends surrounding him. That smile is contagious.

FERDINAND CHUSE

Secretary of English Club, Secretary of Group, Social Science Club, Vice-President of Social Science Club, Jusendra, Science and Math Club.

Ferdinand gazes down on us from his awesome height but doesn't frighten us a bit because he is so friendly.

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DOROTHY CLARK

President of Group, Secretary of Alpha Opheleia, Treasurer of Beta Opheleia, Glee Club, Jusendra, Music Club *Opinion* Reporter, "The Magic Wheel," "The Wishing Well."

Dot is a secretary of secretaries. She's always busy helping where help is needed, and she certainly can make even the dullest crowd lively.

HELEN CLAUSEN

President of Commercial Club, Jusendra.

President of the Commercial Club and possessed with ambition, Helen is sure to be successful in any branch of business life.

HARRIET COFFMAN

Vice-President of Group, Student Council, Jusendra, Tri-S.

Harriet's questions, shoulder-shrugging, and, "Where's Jean?" are absolute necessities.

SYBIL COLE

Treasurer of Group, Treasurer of G. A. A., Tri-S, Jusendra.

Small but mighty. Sybil believes in love at first sight and at every other opportunity.

MILDRED COLLIER

Jusendra, Music Club.

One might see, by Mildred's straightforward, direct gaze, that she is able to face the future with all that it may bring.



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CHARLES COULTER

Music Club, Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Glee Club, Student Police.

Chuck just can't settle down, and the actions he employs to express his feelings are surely original.

CHARLOTTE ANNE COYLE

Student Council, G. A. A., Jusendra, Tri-S, Glee Club, Music Club, Social Science Club.

We are sure that Charlotte likes everybody, and everybody likes Charlotte, because she is such a friendly person.

FRANK CURRY

Jusendra, Social Science Club, President of Group, Treasurer of Group, Group Basketball.

Frank doesn't seem to take life very seriously now, and we hope he never does, for we like him just as he is—lightheartedness and all.

ANNE CUTTER

Jusendra, Tri-S, Sergeant-at-Arms of Group, Social Science Club.

"I am a woman; therefore I must talk." She is sometimes late to class—wonder why?

GERALDINE DAVIS

G. A. A., Tri-S, Social Science Club, Jusendra, Treasurer of Group.

We'd be lost without talkative humorous Gerry and her jokes.

Gerry Davis

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LOUIE DAVIS

Treasurer of Commercial Club, Jusendra.

The expression in Louie's eyes always makes us think he is keeping a big secret from us.

RALPH DAVIS

Group Basketball.

We used to think that Ralph didn't have a sense of humor, but we have discovered that he has one and a good one too.

THELMA DAVIS

Jusendra.

Thelma's watchword is "Be sure you're right, then go ahead."

VIOLA DAVIS

President of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club, G. A. A.

"Violet" fits this friend perfectly. Show us the person who doesn't love violets.

KENNETH DEAN

Jusendra, Student Police, Cheer-Leader, Group Basketball, President of Group, Secretary of Group, Holiday Revue, Stage Crew, Philaxia.

When we see Kenny down in front leading our cheers, the girl's hearts miss a beat and the boys yell louder to help a regular fellow.



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LUTHER DEARBORN

Debating Team, English Club, National Honor Society, Philaxia, Business Manager of the *Crest*, Treasurer of Student Council, President of Junior Class, "Adam and Eva."

Our "Patrick Henry," Luther is a person in whom anyone could place implicit faith—even a skeptical Sophomore. His dauntless spirit and droll ways have made for "Lute" a niche in the hearts of teachers and students alike.

STEWART DE MENT

Student Council, Group Basketball, President of Group.

Stewart is rather quiet but he always displays real ability.

CHARLOTTE DERGES

Music Club, Jusendra, President of Group, Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel."

The name of Derges is not new in our "Hall of Fame," and Charlotte's friendliness and earnestness the last four years has kept it there.

RUTH DIEHL

Jusendra, Music Club, Commercial Club, Student Council, Glee Club, Secretary of Group, *Opinion* Reporter.

You can easily recognize Ruth by her smiling face and her friendliness.

CHARLOTTE DOYLE

Music Club, Glee Club, Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, English Club, National Honor Society.

Charlotte is the original "I'll help you" girl.

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MILDRED DRYDEN

Orchestra, Music Club, Glee Club, Jusendra, Social Science Club, Treasurer of Group.

Mildred has a most colorful imagination, but when she comes back to earth, she is a very convincing talker.

HOWARD DUNKER

Humor Editor of *Opinion*, Band, Linotype, Advertising Manager for Junior Prom, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Social Science Club, *Opinion* Reporter, "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife."

Howard will be a player in Sousa's band, editor of "Bright Sayings of the Children" or a Cartoonist.

ELIZABETH DUNLOP

Student Council, Treasurer of Tri-S, Jusendra, Faculty Editor of *Crest*, Secretary of Group, Vice-President of Group, "The Trysting Place."

Beth reminds us of a sweet lady on an old fashioned valentine.

HELEN DUNN

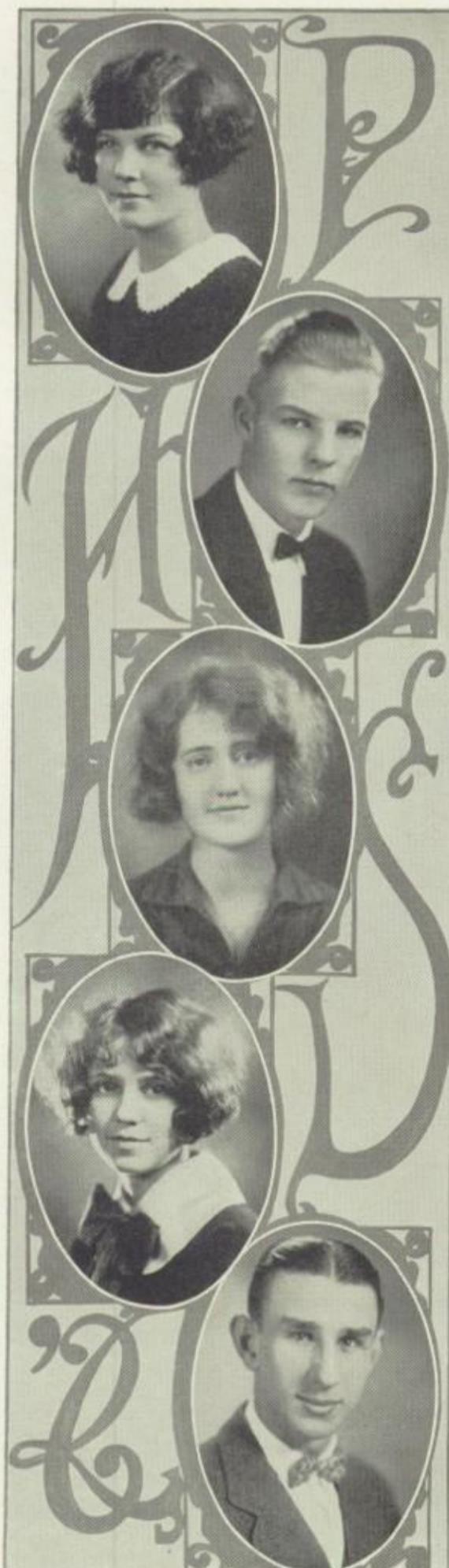
Jusendra, Student Council, Glee Club.

Helen is such a wisp of a girl that we are reminded of a fairy every time we see her.

EMERSON EICHORN

Glee Club, Student Police, Class Basketball, Group Basketball, Sergeant-at-Arms of Group, Jusendra.

"Doc" is often as silent as the Sphinx, but people can't help but understand him anyway.



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DOROTHY ELIEL

Jusendra, Glee Club, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Vice-President of Group, Student Council, Tri-S, G. A. A.

Dot is one of our live-wires. If there's anything new and bizarre, she's sure to have it.

WARNER ELSON

Student Council, Football Team, Stage Crew.

Warner in his quiet way, has gone through high school doing much for all his friends, which makes him a friend of ours.

MILDRED EMORY

Commercial Club, Jusendra, Student Council.

The trust of her friends placed Mildred in Student Council. We predict she will find this trust throughout her life.

JAMES ENTWISTLE

Jusendra, Music Club.

James is quiet, but as we all know, "Still waters run deep."

THELMA EWALT

Jusendra, Tri-S, G. A. A.

Coming to P. H. S. from out of town, Thelma has made many lasting friends by her companionable disposition.

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ETHEL EWERS

Commercial Club, Jusendra, President of Group,
Class Editor of *Crest*.

Ethel's helpful ways are "winning" ways.

CLAUDE EWING

Group Basketball, Vice-President of Group, Treasurer
of Group, Class Basketball, Jusendra.

*Claude is another one of those quiet fellows, but this
doesn't keep him from accomplishing things.*

PAUL FIESELMAN

Student Police, Advisory Basketball, Treasurer of
Group, Jusendra.

*Someone is always coming up to us to tell about the
funny thing Paul just said or did, so we've come to the
conclusion that it is just "second nature" to him to be
humorous.*

VERNA FIRTH

G. A. A., Jusendra.

Verna's giggle and smile are bewitching.

REGINALD FITSCHEN

Treasurer of Group, Group Basketball.

*Reginald has a weakness for the opposite sex, but we
must admit that he has very good taste.*



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VIRGINIA FLOWERS

Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Tri-S, Music Club, Social Science Club.

Slim and wraithlike with an eager air, is Miss Virginia.

EVELYN FOLLIOTT

Treasurer of Group, Tri-S, Jusendra, Music Club, Debating Team, "The Wishing Well."

Evelyn's smiling face and musical ability are well known to all of us.

IRENE ANN FREY

Orchestra, Glee Club, English Club, Social Science Club, Music Club, Jusendra, "The Magic Wheel."

Gentle, kind and calm—that's Irene.

MELBA FRYE

Student Council, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Opinion Reporter, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

We are proud of Melba, you can always depend on her. You should watch her when she's in the Opinion room—typeing, typeing, typeing.

GERTRUDE FRIEDLANDER

Music Club, Glee Club, Tri-S, Jusendra, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group.

We'll never forget Gertrude's enthusiasm.

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ALBERT FULLER

Glee Club, Commercial Club, "The Wishing Well."

Al is quite adept at saying the right thing at the right time sometimes. He's a nice boy because he goes to Sunday School almost every Sunday and is usually late.

HAROLD FURREY

Baseball Team, Jusendra, National Honor Society.

We just can't be serious when Harold faces us with that wide grin of his; on the other hand he can be very sober and dignified. But Harold, we like the grin.

ROBERT GEDDES

Football Team, Captain of Basketball Team, Jusendra.

Bob's actions speak much more loudly than his words. He has made a name for himself in our "Hall of Fame."

FAYE GEHLERT

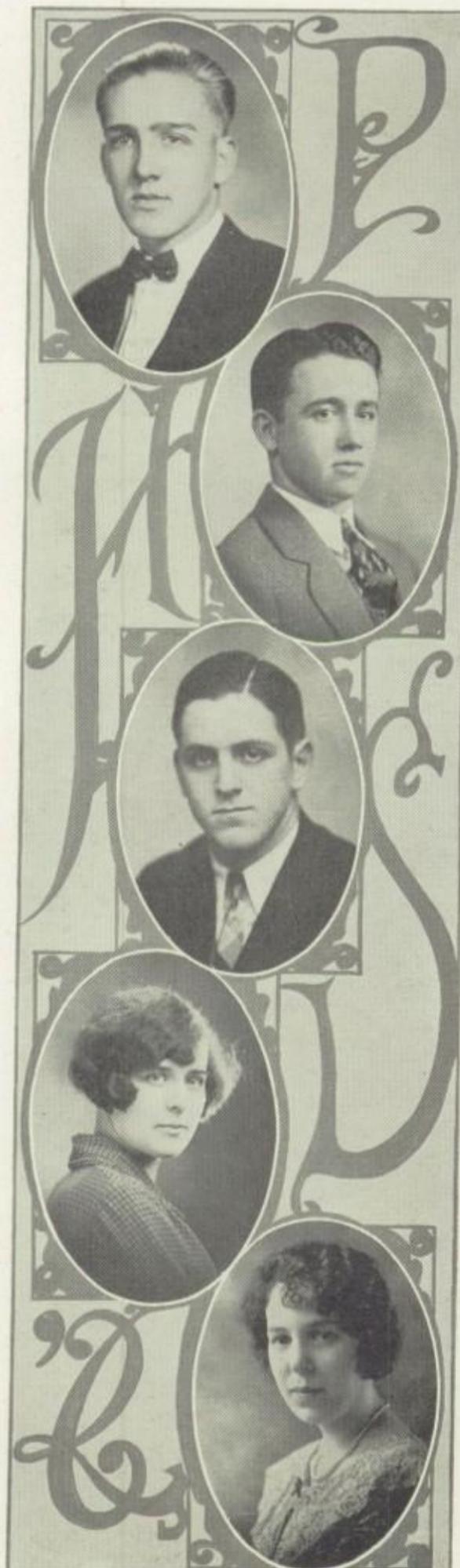
Orchestra, Glee Club, President of Music Club, Treasurer of Alpha Opheleia, English Club, Jusendra, National Honor Society, "The Magic Wheel."

Faye is the "one and only" violinist to us and is President of the Music Club. Music is life to her.

LUCILLE GENTES

Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Lucille always seems so enthusiastic about something that we can hardly refrain from following her to learn the secret.



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CARMEN GLABE

English Club, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Social Science Club.

Trueness to friends and her David and Jonathan friendship for Ethel characterize Carmen.

NAOMI GOLDEN

Jusendra, Tri-S, Glee Club, G. A. A., Secretary of Group.

Her soft drawl and dreamy ways are a very great attraction. She prefers "jazz" for several reasons.

MABEL GREEN

A. A. A., Student Council, Beta and Alpha Opheleia, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Opinion Reporter.

Mabel giggles and giggles and giggles but she studies in between giggles.

BILLY GULICK

Commercial Club.

Billy takes life and his work so seriously that nothing can possibly hinder his success.

ROBERT HAGERTY

Student Police, Jusendra, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Secretary of Group.

We hope Bob goes to the University of Wisconsin; wouldn't he represent Peoria High well in Haresfoot?

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ELEANOR HAINERT

Student Council, Jusendra, *Opinion* Reporter, Fashion Revue.

Eleanor has shown her interest in all school activities; she is a true patriot.

ROBERT HALL

Student Council, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Social Science Club, English Club, Group Basketball.

Robert is a real friend, composed, steady and faithful.

HOWARD HALLSTEIN

Howard is a "jolly good fellow." No wonder he has a host of friends.

HELEN HAMILTON

Glee Club, Music Club, Student Council, Jusendra, "The Magic Wheel."

Helen's motto is "never put off till tomorrow what you can say today." She is never seen far from Dot Van.

LORING HANCHETTE

Jusendra, Student Police, Commercial Club.

Loring rules his study hall with an iron hand, and he frequently shows his strength and determination.



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JULIA HANDZO

Student Council, Commercial Club, Treasurer of Group, Glee Club, Jusendra, "The Magic Wheel."

Julia is one of the most industrious and enthusiastic young ladies there ever was.

CHARLES HARKER

Student Police, Captain of Group Basketball, Assistant Business Manager of Jusendra, Social Science Club, Science and Math Club, Student Council.

Charles' brisk manner means business. His "battles of words" with Mr. Heghin are famous.

GILBERT HARRIS

Jusendra.

Gilbert's quiet and studious nature does not curb his humorous outbursts.

MURIEL HARRISON

Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club, G. A. A., Vice-President of Group, Humor Reporter.

Muriel and June are inseparable. Muriel's gay smile and cheerful ways make her many friends.

IDELL HARTMAN

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Idell, with her pretty clothes, reminds us of the doll we got one Christmas.

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CECIL HAWKINS

Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Orchestra.

Cecil's appearance is never ruffled. He's a regular Arrow collar ad.

GERTRUDE HAYES

Beta and Alpha Opheleia, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Student Council, Jusendra, English Club, Organist, G. A. A., Tri-S, "The Obstinate Family."

They say red hair is a sure sign of cleverness and we believe it. Gertrude is one sure proof.

ELEANOR HAZARD

Tri-S, Jusendra, Music Club, Social Science Club, Glee Club, Secretary of Group, Vice-President of Group, "The Magic Wheel."

At first Eleanor seems to be of a very retiring nature, but you'd be surprised! Her curly hair is the envy of every girl in school.

ETHEL HELMICK

Tri-S, Jusendra.

Ethel always makes as little noise as possible but we love to hear her tell funny stories.

STEPHEN HENDEE

Student Council, Jusendra.

Steve holds the record for asking questions. We refer you to Mrs. Belsley.



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KATHERINE HEWITT

Jusendra, *Opinion Reporter.*

Katherine's drawl and slow movements certainly become her.

ROBERT HILL

President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Treasurer of Commercial Club, Class Basketball, Group Basketball, Group Baseball.

If you want to judge Robert's popularity, just glance at the above list. Is he not energetic?

LORRAINE HITCHCOCK

Tri-S, Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club.

Lorraine is the star comedienne of the school.

VERNA HOBBS

Commercial Club, Vice-President of Group.

Verna looks like one of the beautiful dolls in Mrs. Jarley's famous wax works.

ELLEN HOERR

Jusendra, G. A. A., Social Science Club.

Ellen is rather quiet, but she is well liked by all her teachers and schoolmates. Some day she'll be a world famous poetess.

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ELEANOR HOFER

Jusendra.

If only we could be as nice as Eleanor, we'd think we were very good.

CLAYTON HOFF

Band, Orchestra, Secretary of Group, Jusendra.

We suspect that Clayton is a regular box of fun, the kind that everyone likes.

FLORENCE HOLMES

Jusendra, Social Science Club, Music Club, Glee Club, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Tri-S.

We never suspected Florence's coquettish powers until we saw her in "Down Petticoat Lane."

GENEVRA HORNBACKER

Jusendra, Student Council, English Club, Art Editor of *Opinion*.

We're sure that Genevra will represent High School in Greenwich Village. She has surprising powers of writing and talking.

LUCILLE HOUGHTON

Commercial Club, Secretary of Group, Glee Club.

Lucille is friendliness itself. She vows she has learned everything she ever wants to know about scarlet fever.



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JOHN HOUK

Opinion Reporter, Jusendra, Science and Math Club, English Club, Group Basketball, Group Baseball, Student Police.

Jack looks very, very solemn, but we know that in this case looks are deceiving.

PAUL HOUCK

Paul has busily minded Paul Houck's own affairs; and from the esteem in which his friends hold him, his plan is one to be copied.

ROBERT HOUK

Student Council, Student Police, President of Group, Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Robert finds delight in service and good deeds.

VIRGINIA HOVENDEN

Glee Club, Music Club, Tri-S, Social Science Club, Jusendra, "The Magic Wheel."

Always calm, always gracious, studious, but packs of fun—Virginia.

JOHN HOWARD

Athletic Manager, Captain Perfect, President Athletic Board of Control, Philaxia, Jusendra, Social Science Club, President of Group, Secretary of Group, Vice-President Athletic Board of Control, Secretary Athletic Board of Control, Student Police, Class Track, Group Basketball, Group Baseball.

Whenever there is anything to be done, there's a call for Chad. We dare you to try to count all his friends.

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LOUISE HOWARD

Jusendra, Tri-S.

Louise is rather acquiescent, but in her we'd call it an asset—not a failing.

BEVERLY HOWLAND

A second Barney Oldfield. For all purposes, any car he drives doesn't need more than two wheels.

RICHARD HOYT

Chief of Student Police, Hi-Y, Philaxia, "LaMarraine de la Guerre."

Dick is the "law" at P. H. S. that is, chief of the Student Police. A good student and a good fellow—what more could one wish?

FLORENCE HUBER

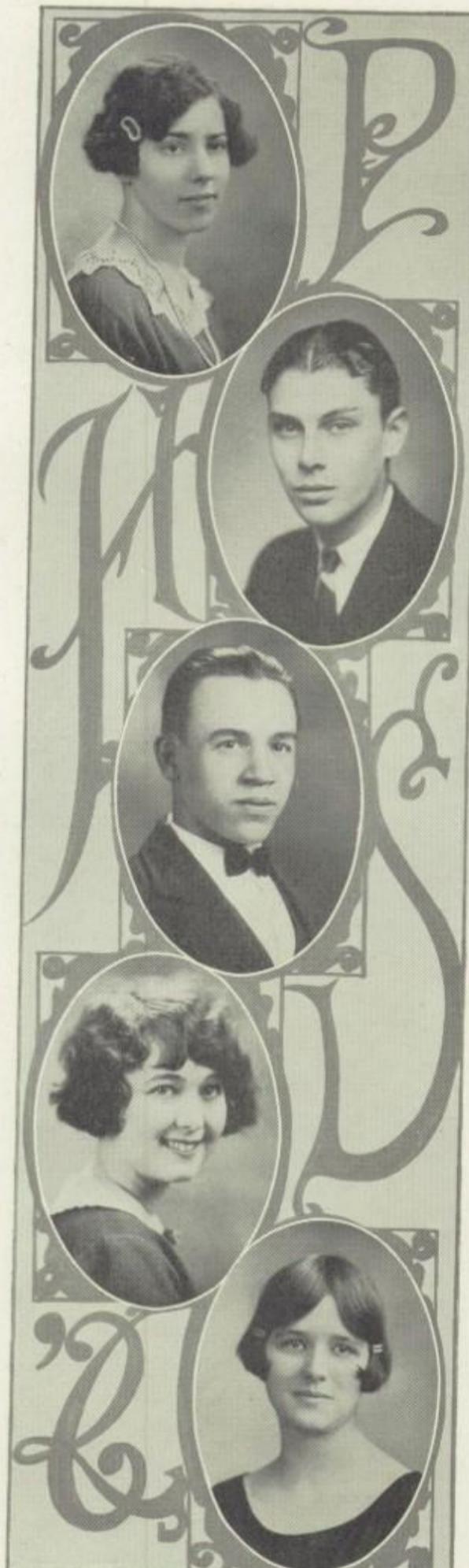
Jusendra.

Whenever we see Florence, we want to call "Hail to thee, blithe spirit!"

GEORGIA HUGGINS

Alpha Opheleia, Jusendra, Tri-S, G. A. A., Social Science Club, Glee Club.

When you try to pick out Georgia's chief characteristic, you find yourself "stuck." They're all such nice ones that we can't decide just which one is chief.



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MARTIN HUNT

President of Group, Captain of Group Basketball.
Martin is a "winner" in every sense of the word.

HARRIET HURFF

Commercial Club, Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club,
Treasurer of Group, "The Three Springs."

*Harriet is always just bubbling over with laughter
and good cheer. She and Helen are a good team.*

ADDIE HURFORD

*Addie is one person we know who is both useful and
ornamental. She has one failing—she loves to read the
jokes in "Literary Digest" during history class.*

DOROTHY HUTCHERSON

Jusendra, Commercial Club, Social Science, Ex-
change Editor of *Opinion*, Secretary of Group, Senior
Write-ups in Commercial Annual.

*Dot never stops talking; when the world seems blue it
certainly is cheering to have her chatter to you.*

CLIFFORD IRELAND, JR.

Humor Editor of *Crest*, Debating Club, Jusendra,
Social Science Club, "The Trysting Place."

*"Casey" talks more than we girls—which is saying a
lot. He's always up to something; he even brought his
toys to school to play with at Christmas time.*

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MARJORIE JACKSON

English Club, Treasurer of Group, *Opinion Reporter*, 1st Place—Big Twelve Extemporaneous Speaking Contest, Music Club, Jusendra, Student Council, "Adam and Eva," Debating Club.

When Marjorie calls forth her wonderful speaking ability, she holds her audience spellbound.

WILLA JAMES

President of Group, Student Council, Jusendra.

Willa is sometimes very quiet, but she is the truest of friends and an earnest scholar.

LOIS JERAULD

Commercial Club.

Lois is very shy and reserved, and we like her just that much more for it.

JUNE JOHNSON

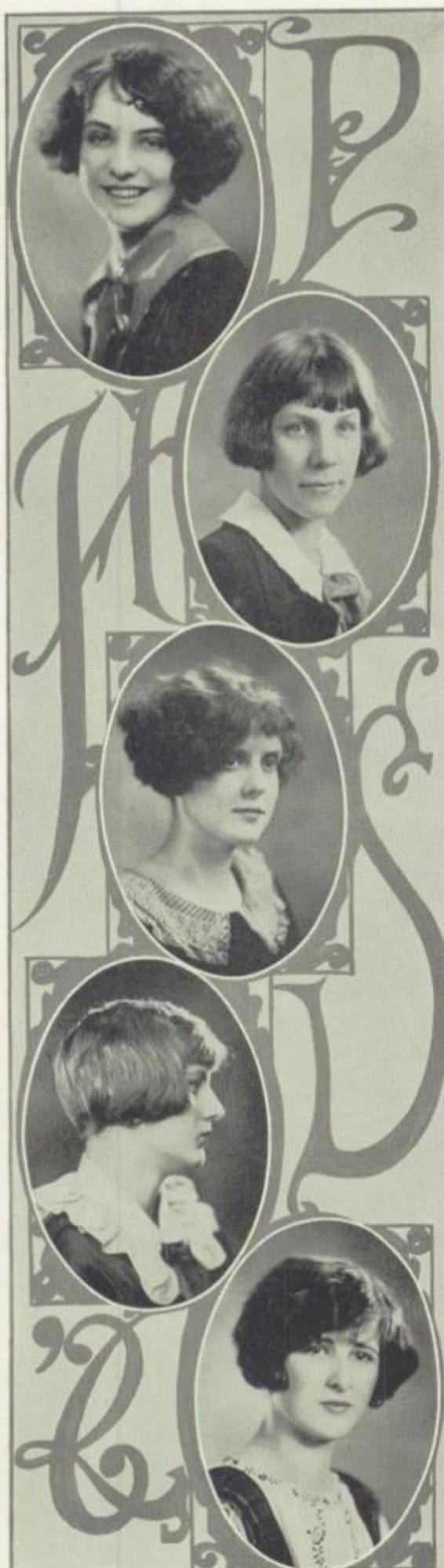
Student Council, Beta and Alpha Opheleia, President of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club, *Opinion Reporter*, National Honor Society.

Isn't June one of the nicest and friendliest girls in our class? We'll say.

ARVILLA JONES

Jusendra, President of Group.

Arvilla is very vivacious, but she is also a very stern master in Study Hall.



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HELEN KELLOGG

Jusendra, Tri-S, Secretary of Group, *Opinion Reporter.*

Ask Helen about her little friend, Sadie.

MARY KELLY

G. A. A., Commercial Club, Vice-President of Group.

All the prettiest poetry and the sweetest songs are written about "Mary." We'd be apt to wonder why if we didn't know Mary K.

INEZ KERNAN

Jusendra, Tri-S, Social Science Club, English Club.

Inez easily forms a circle of associates by nature of her pleasant ways and winning smiles.

JAUNITA KIME

Music Club, Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel," "The Three Springs," Social Science Club, English Club, Jusendra.

Nita is forever saying or doing something funny. And she is the most wonderful pianist we know.

OTTO KREITER

Vice-President of Group, Treasurer of Group, Glee Club, Music Club, Jusendra, "Fiat Lux," "The Magic Wheel," "The Wishing Well."

How could we get along without Otto? His work in the press room has been invaluable.

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HARVEY KUNTZ

Secretary of Group, President of Group, Secretary of Hi-Y, Treasurer of Hi-Y, Social Science Club, Jusendra, Commercial Club, Assistant Editor of the *Commercialite*, Glee Club, Music Club, "The Wishing Well," "Adam and Eva."

For pure, original wit and cut-up, we recommend Harvey. He's willing to help anyone in need.



GLEN KUSZMAUL

Commercial Club, Jusendra Club.

Glen is a dandy fellow but he's so bashful that we rarely hear very much from him.

ESTELLE LANDERS

Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club, Secretary of Group, Vice-President of Group, President of Group.

By art of her lovely brown eyes and engaging smile, she makes a hit with everyone.

GLADYS LANE

Jusendra.

Gladys will always be faithful and comforting to everyone.

MILDRED LANE

President of Commercial Club, English Club, President of Group.

Mildred ranks high as a student but she's always ready for a good time too.

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LORENE LAWSON

Jusendra, Music Club, Vice-President of Group, Social Science Club, Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel."

Lorene is a friendly, diligent person. We want to know how she and Cecile could survive without each other?

DAVID LEWIS

David has always been the envy of practically everyone in school. He often causes a near-riot by his humorous answers to Mrs. Belsley's questions in English class.

BERYL LONG

Glee Club, Music Club, Jusendra, G. A. A., Tri-S, Student Council, Social Science Club, "The Magic Wheel," "The Wishing Well."

Beryl loves a good time above all things, and we love to hear her tell about "what we did last night."

MARGARET LONG

Jusendra, Music Club, English Club, Secretary of Group, Tri-S, Social Science Club.

Margaret never hurries, but she always manages to reach her destination. We all like her immensely.

LOUISE McCORMICK

Tri-S, Opinion Reporter, Jusendra, Social Science Club, Secretary of Group.

Louise poses for all the "Bright Sayings of the Children." 'Nuff said.

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LOUISE McDONALD

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

We feel proud that Louise, who comes from out of town, has chosen P. H. S. as her school.

JANE McDUGAL

Lieutenant-in-Chief of South Hall, Jusendra, "Adam and Eva," "The Wishing Well."

No matter how many thrilling events are going on, Jane knows them all.

LOUISE McFARLAND

Commercial Club, Vice-President of Group, Jusendra.

They say the reward of the faithful is certain; therefore Louise is bound to attain greatness.

RHEA McWHINNEY

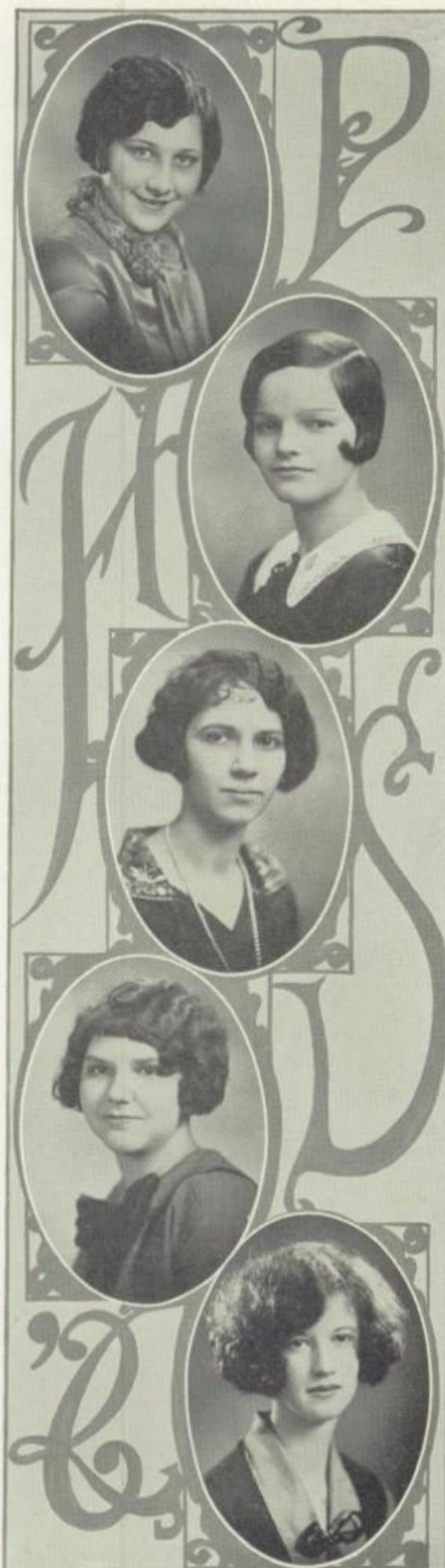
Commercial Club, Jusendra, Treasurer of Group.

When Rhea and Melba and the others get together, everyone is sure of a good time.

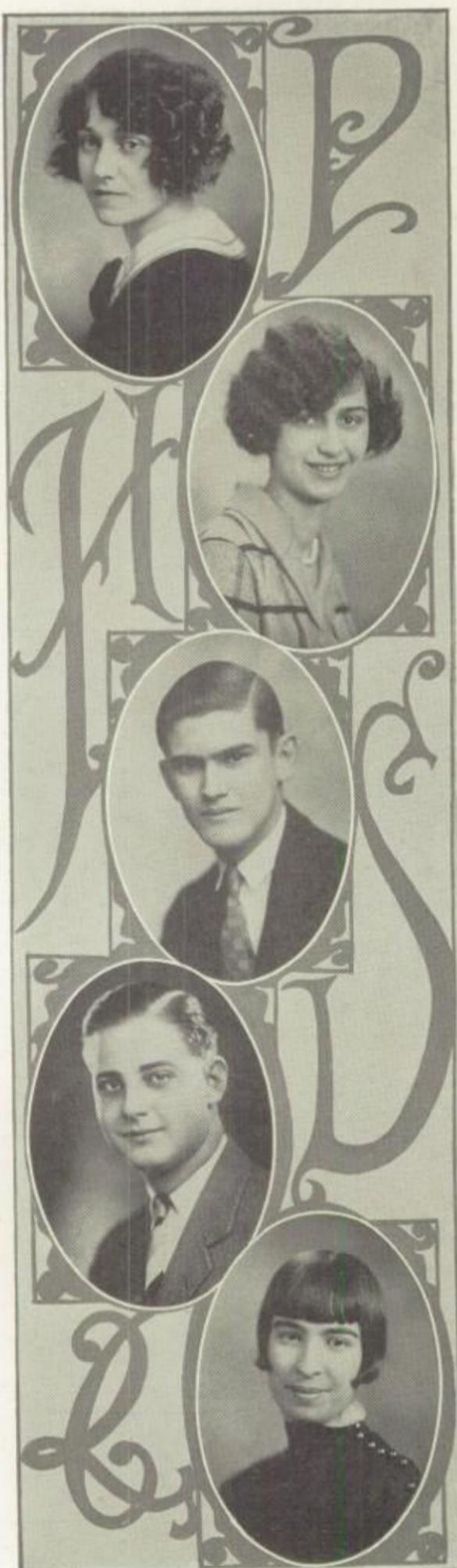
JOSEPHINE MACY

President of Group, Jusendra, Tri-S, Music Club, Glee Club.

—Vivacious, fun-loving, Joey, our strawberry blond.



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MARJORIE MACKEMER

Vice-President of Group, Treasurer of Group, Chairman of Dance Committee for Junior Prom, Jusendra, Student Council, "Holiday Revue."

Beauty and wonderful dancing ability recall Midge.

EVELYN MALEHAM

Jusendra, Glee Club, Music Club, Tri-S, "Adam and Eva," "The Magic Wheel."

Skillful fingers and a taste for the unusual make Evelyn's every undertaking interesting.

VERLE MARTIN

Student Council, Hi-Y, Glee Club, Music Club, Group Basketball, Group Baseball, Student Police.

When school is over, you find Verle starting for some pleasure jaunt. He's always having a good time.

FRANK MAYER

Second Football Team.

No matter how funny the things he says and does are, Frank never cracks a smile. He's a real adventure, too.

DOROTHY MEAD

Jusendra.

Sedate one moment—animated the next, we thoroughly like Dorothy.

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RUTH MEHL

Jusendra, Music Club.

Light of heart and light of foot, Ruth is a gloom dispeller.

ARLEEN MELVIN

Jusendra, Orchestra, Music Club, Secretary of Group, Secretary of Science and Math Club.

Arleen is a student who ranks high, and also a wonderful violinist.

MARY MERK

Student Council, Music Club, Jusendra, Tri-S, Social Science and Math Club, Glee Club.

When we think of Mary we think of a true friend and a lovely girl.

BERNICE MILLER

Opinion Reporter, Glee Club, Student Council, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Literary Editor of *Opinion*, President of the English Club, "The Magic Wheel," "The Three Springs."

She's the envy of all who want to have many friends and soft curly hair.

CLARINDA MINKLER

Commercial Club.

Clarinda, with her swift movement, flashing eyes, and black hair, would make an entrancing Gypsy.



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GLADYS MOBERLY

Treasurer of Group, Student Council, Vice-President of Beta Opheleia, Alpha Opheleia, Chairman of Assemblies, Tri-S, Jusendra, Glee Club, Music Club, "The Magic Wheel," "The Man Who Married the Dumb Wife."

Gladys' favorite pastime is dealing hearts! She is popular with everyone, and has often displayed her dramatic ability in our plays.

LAWRENCE MOFFETT

President of Student Body, President of Student Council, President of Group, Athletic Editor of *Crest*, Treasurer of Group, Secretary of Group, Group Basketball, Class Basketball, Class Baseball, Class Track, Jusendra, Election Manager, *Opinion* Reporter, Philaxia, Social Science Club, Property Committee "Rivals" and "Admirable Crichton," "Fountain of Youth," Booster Club.

To know "Lot" is to like him; that accounts for his host of friends. He has been successful in his office of president of the school.

ESTHER MOHLER

President of Group, Treasurer of Group, Tri-S, Jusendra, Social Science Club, G. A. A., Alpha Opheleia.

Everyone at school is acquainted with Es's ability to make the "ivories" talk.

CALVIN MOODY

Football Team, Track Team, Student Council, Treasurer of Group.

Calvin is a close competitor of Nurmi. He has also served his school faithfully in football.

RICHARD MOODY

Football Team, Track Team.

Richard is in the same class as his illustrious brother—a true athlete.

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HAROLD MURPHY

President of Group, Secretary of Group, Jusendra, Chairman of Ticket Committee for Junior Prom, "The Rivals."

Murph is a rare combination of frolic, fun, and versatility.

HARRIET JUNE MYERS

Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club, English Club, Vice-President of Group.

Her golden hair, blue eyes, and friendly manner make everyone like Harriet June.

WILLIAM MYERS

Jusendra.

We always thought Bill was shy and quiet; but after seeing the daily conversation he's been holding between classes this year, we've changed our mind!

MARY NACHMAN

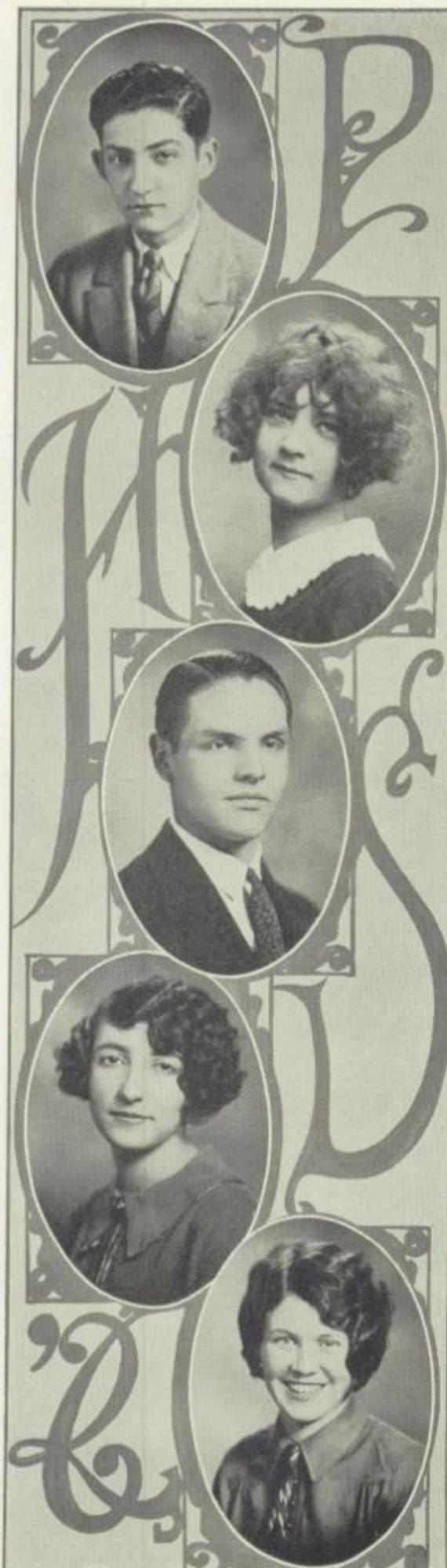
Jusendra, President of Group, Secretary of Group, Debating Club, Tri-S, "Enter the Hero."

When Mary is seized with a fit of giggling, don't try to stop her—it's useless.

RUTH NELSON

Student Council, Glee Club, Secretary of Group, Secretary of Junior Class, Jusendra, Beta and Alpha Opheleia.

Ruth left us for a while, but we just couldn't get along without her—so she come back. She's everybody's friend.



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BRADLEY NIXON

President of Group, Track, Jusendra, Band.

First Bradley does one thing and then he does the opposite; if someone rushes past you on the street, it's liable to be Bradley; if someone saunters past it is just as liable to be Bradley.

ALICE NORTON

President of Group, Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Glee Club, Tri-S.

With her quick blush and laughing eyes, Alice is a favorite everywhere.

DAVID NORTON

Student Council, Football Team, Jusendra, Golf Team, Golf Champion, Football Statistician.

We've heard that Bud carries no less than five pictures of his best girl on his person all the time! And can he play golf?

JANE ORR

Alpha Opheleia, President of Social Science Club, Senior Sketches in *Crest*, President of Group, English Club, Jusendra, Science and Math Club, Secretary of Group, Assistant Secretary of Social Science Club.

Jane is the original of the girl whom students know as a good pal; of whom parents say—"See here, Mary Anne, why don't you try to be like her?"

MELVIN OVERTON

Treasurer of Group, *Opinion* Reporter, Band, Jusendra, Music Club, Debating Club, Glee Club, English Club, "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife," Social Science Club.

We don't hear much from Melvin, but we know that he has an active interest in everything that goes on about school.

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DOROTHY PARKER

Student Council, Jusendra.

Dorothy is a dainty miss with big brown eyes and a will of her own.

GLADYS PERKINS

Jusendra, Commercial Club, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group.

This lass with a merry twinkle in her eye is a most charming "perky" person.

KEITH PETERS

President of English Club, Philaxia, Debating Club, Negative Debating Team, Treasurer of Social Science Club, Jusendra, Student Council, Vice-President of Spanish Club, Advisory Basketball, Vice-President of Group, Science and Math Club.

Keith is a lawyer in the making. He has the reputation of being able to talk at least an hour on any subject at no matter how short a notice.

DALE PHALEN

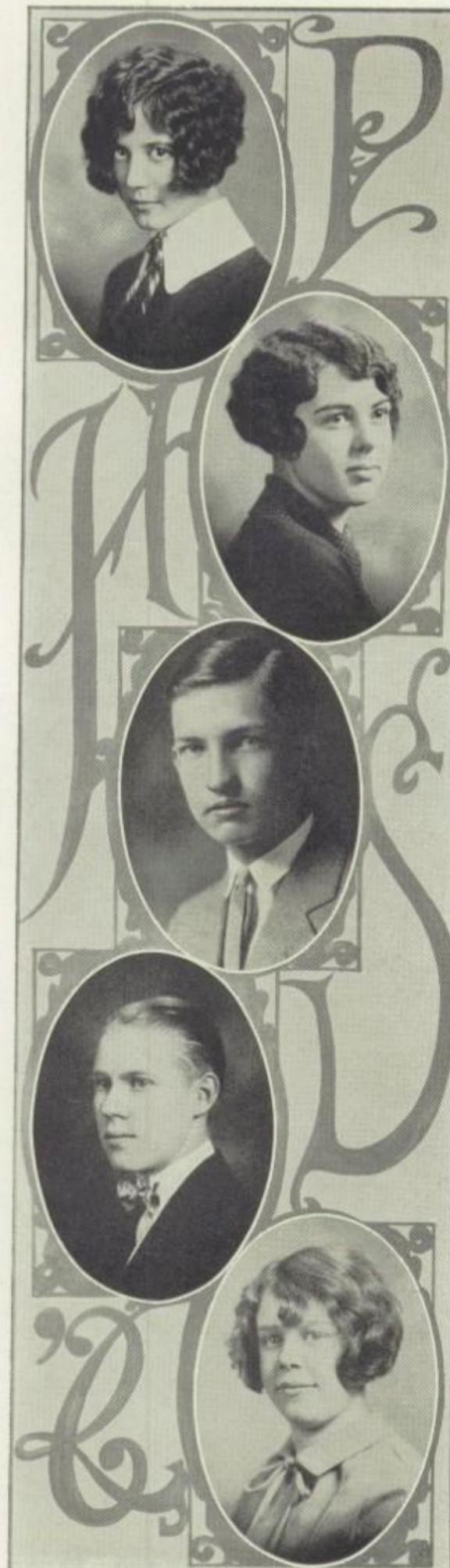
Student Council, Jusendra, English Club, Editor of *Opinion*, Vice-President of National Honor Society, President of National Honor Society, Philaxia, Student Police, "Violin Maker of Cremona," "The Coming of Fair Annie," Commercial Club, Shorthand Team, Typing Team.

Here's to the successful editor of our first school newspaper! May he never come to the point of tearing his blond hair over tardy articles.

DOROTHY PINNELL

Social Science Club, Science and Math Club, Jusendra, English Club, Student Council.

Dot is one of those girls who never did a wrong thing in her life but hates to have everybody think she never did.



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MARY MARTHA PRICE

Jusendra, Social Science Club, English Club, *Opinion* Reporter.

To be "merry" best becomes Martha. She's a regular girl.

JACK QUICK

Captain of Basketball Team, President of Commercial Club, Glee Club.

Jack is a noteworthy product of Peoria High. "The Fireball" has given us his best in basketball, baseball, and football.

LETHA RAYMOND

Jusendra, Shorthand Team, Commercial Club, Treasurer of Group.

Letha has shown marked ability in her activities. We are confident that this will follow her throughout life.

ORA REED

President of Group, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Typing Team.

Ora knows that a quitter never wins, and a winner never quits—so Ora never quits.

MARJORIE REICHELDERFER

Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club.

Marjorie is sweet and pretty. Coupled with her winning ways is a love of humor. She always has a joke to tell.

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ANNICE RIMINGTON

Jusendra, Commercial Club, Student Council, President of Group, Secretary of Group.

Annice is a girl of whom we are proud. Her work is as conscientious and precise as a fine watch.

ELEANOR RICHARDSON

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

We have a terrible crush on Eleanor.

VIOLA RICKENA

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Viola, with her naturally curly hair, will never feel the need of "permanents" as the rest of us do.

HENRY RINGEL

Ambitious, progressive, and friendly. Henry can write excellent themes for English class. We wish he would write ours.

VIOLET ROBERTS

Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Violet is very small and timid, but she just fairly radiates good cheer and happiness when with her friends.



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GENETA ROGERS

Commercial Club, G. A. A., Jusendra, Secretary of Group.

Geneta has been a diligent and enthusiastic worker during all her high school life. Here's to her further success.

VIRGINIA ROSBROOK

Tri-S, Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club.

Ginny is always dashing about somewhere, and altogether she is quite a dashing young lady. We think she has excellent taste in men's wristwatches.

CECIL ROYALTY

Jusendra, English Club, Social Science Club, Vice-President of Group, Opinion Editorials.

Her soft voice and her clever ideas made Cee-Cee beloved. We've decided that she'll be an author or a literary critic.

WILLARD RUCH

Football Team, Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Very conscientious and trustworthy, Willard has made everyone his friend.

RUSSEL RUMMEL

Group Basketball, Group Baseball, Second Football Team, Jusendra, Student Police, Spanish Club.

Russ is always such a good sport that no one ever thinks of being angry at him.

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TILLIE ANN SAMUELS

Jusendra, Tri-S, Advertising Solicitor of *Opinion*, Glee Club.

Tillie likes to argue; but diplomat that she is, she never argues too much.

NELLIE SCHAFFNER

Student Council, Commercial Club.

With the steady, constant work which is so typical of her, how can Nellie help but accomplish whatever she may undertake?

ELEANOR SCHNEIDER

President of Group, Jusendra, Tri-S, *Opinion* Reporter, Secretary of Group.

Brimful of mischief and sociability is our gay Eleanor.

JACK SCHNEIDER

Glee Club, Jusendra, Student Police, Hi-Y, Secretary of Group, "The Magic Wheel."

How can anyone make two writeups about twins? Jack is the Don Quixote of the Schneider family; while—

JAMES SCHNEIDER

Jusendra, Hi-Y, Student Police, Social Science Club, Debating Club, Treasurer of Group, Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel," Group Baseball.

—James is his sensible, yet humorous Sancho Panzo.



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HOWARD SEDGWICK

President of Group, Group Basketball, Class Basketball, Glee Club, Jusendra, "Adam and Eva."

An easy-going fellow and a true-blue friend is "Fuzz." And what a good Englishman!

EDWARD SEELYE

Treasurer of Student Council, Captain of Student Police, Philaxia, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Have you ever seen Ed when he wasn't busy? Black hair—blue eyes—(and bullets) bring him to our mind.

MARGARET SIEGFRIED

Jusendra, Fashion Revue, Glee Club.

With her snappy black eyes and slick hair, wouldn't Margaret make a true Spanish senorita?

MADELINE SIMMERING

Vice-President of Group, Commercial Club, *Opinion* Reporter.

If you have never met sweetness personified, come around and meet Madeline.

GLADYS SMITH

Glee Club, Music, Jusendra.

Gladys, "Bucky," and Vonnie L. are a talented trio. Gladys does exceptional art work.

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GUERDON SMITH

Secretary of Group, Football, Jusendra, Auditorium Police.

Someone told us that they thought Guerdon would make a handsome villian or a dashing hero. Which would you prefer?

VIDA SMITH

Jusendra, G. A. A., Tri-S, Glee Club, "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife."

Vida is our chatterbox, guaranteed never to run down.

GERTRUDE SOMMERS

Jusendra, Tri-S, Student Council.

Gertrude will always be a mystery to us—and it's a mystery to us why she is.

DOROTHY SOTZEN

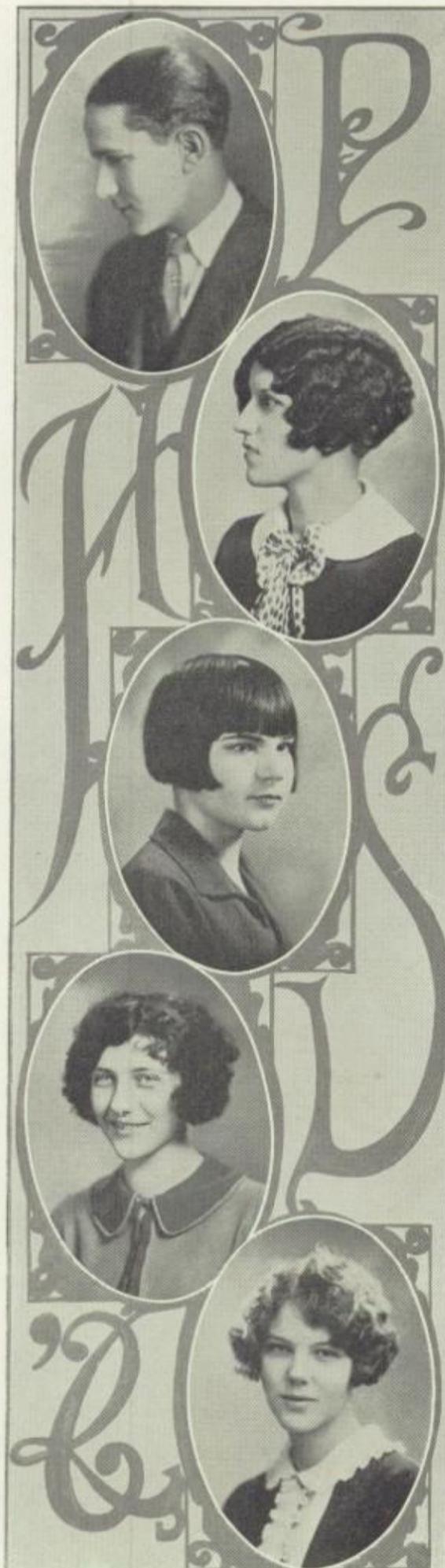
Commercial Club, Jusendra.

Dorothy's mass of black curls and sparkling eyes certainly are attractive.

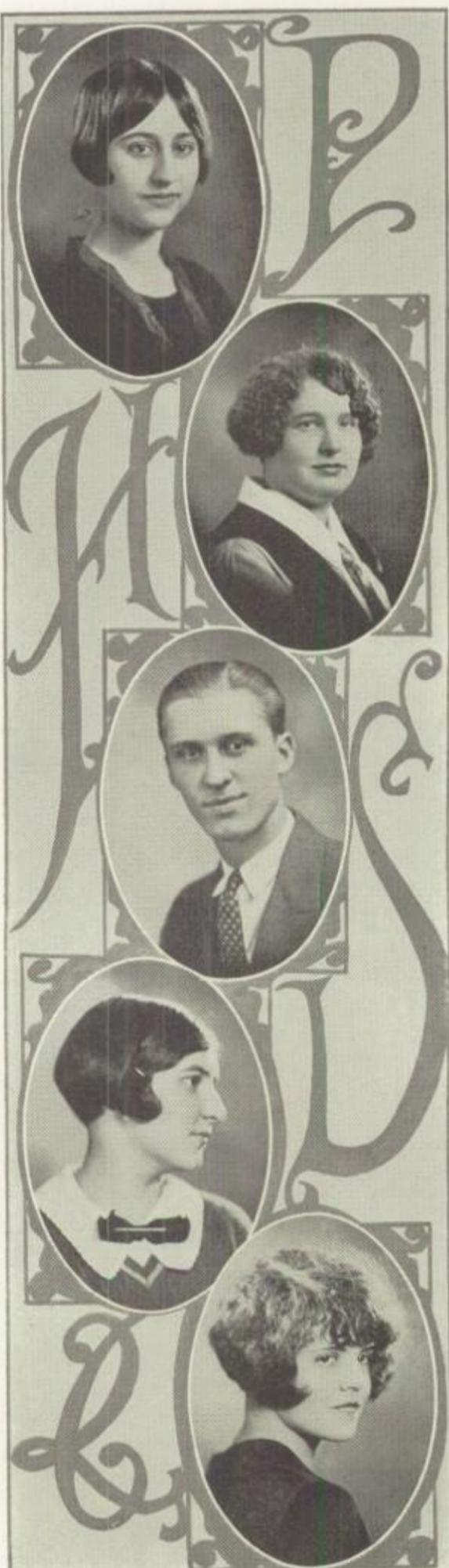
JOSEPHINE SPANGLER

Editor of the *Crest*, National Honor Society, *Opinion* Reporter, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Student Council, Beta Opheleia, Vice-President of Alpha Opheleia, Recording Secretary of National Honor Society, Tri-S, English Club, Chairman of Programs for Social Science Club, Jusendra.

The class of '26 with out Jo would be about as useful as a cart without a horse.



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ELIZABETH SPITLER

National Honor Society, Secretary of Commercial Club, Vice-President of Commercial Club, Alpha Opheleia, Vice-President of Jusendra, Secretary of Group, President of Group, Junior Typewriting Team, Salutatorian.

Elizabeth is so quiet and studious that one can't help but know she's going to be famous some day.

CATHERINE STATES

Beta and Alpha Opheleia, Social Science, Music Club, Fashion Revue.

Catherine will make a good saleswoman when she grows up (if she ever does). Remember the way she sold "Thank U" tickets?

LAMAR STEEG

Secretary of Group, Vice-President of Group, President of Group, Advisory Basketball, Class Baseball, Jusendra, Student Council.

Lamar does his work quietly and without display, and he does it well.

EDITH STONE

Student Council, Tri-S, Jusendra, Vice-President of Group, *Opinion* Reporter, Social Science Club.

The nicest things come in small packages. Peppy and witty, "Sis" is a joy wherever she goes.

JEAN STONE

G. A. A., Secretary of Student Council, Beta Opheleia, President of Alpha Opheleia, Tri-S, Chairman of Attendance in Student Council, Vice-President of Group, *Opinion* Reporter.

Humorous, friendly, charming, capable Jean—there is no other quite like her.

Jean Stone

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MILDWED STOUT

Jusendra, President of Group.

Mildred is a long lasting friend, true to her word.



HELEN STRUBHAR

Treasurer of Group, Vice-President of Group, G. A. A., Jusendra, Music Club.

Helen just can't keep still a second; she's always talking, dancing, singing—or playing the piano in her wonderful way.

LUCILE STURM

Commercial Club.

From all the nice things we've heard about Lucile, we'd like to know her better.

NAOLA SULZBERGER

Jusendra, English Club, President of Group, Vice-President of Group, Fashion Revue, "La Marraine de la Guerre," "Adam and Eva."

Dramatic ability, many friends, and lots of pep are Naola's valuable assets.

ETHEL THALBERG

Social Science Club, Jusendra.

Ethel is noted for the funny things she is always telling. She is hardly ever serious, but she can be when necessary.

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MILDRED THOMPSON

Jusendra, Glee Club, Music Club, Tri-S, Social Science Club, "Mirthquake" Editor.

Mildred is our favorite hope for a wonderful concert pianist.

ROBERT THRUSH

Band, Track Squad, Football Squad, Group Baseball, Group Basketball, President of Group.

Bob is a man of few words, but everyone is anxious to hear those.

BEATRICE TINEN

Jusendra, Tri-S.

Dark, mysterious—yet gay and friendly; that's why we like her.

THOMAS MAC ILVAINE TOBIAS

Student Police, Stage Crew, Jusendra, Vice-President of Group.

Mae's hobby is stage crew. We all like him so much that we don't even mind it when he teases us.

FRANK TODD

Secretary of Group, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Student Police.

Frank is a quiet, modest boy, and is well liked because of it.

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GAIL TOMPKINS

Jusendra, Vice-President of Group. "The French Toy Shop."

Although a new comer, Gail has already gained a place in our hearts.

CECILE TOWELL

Jusendra, Social Science Club, Glee Club, Music Club, Secretary of Group.

Cecile is so intelligent and pleasant that we can never see enough of her.

SPENCER TRUDGEN

Philaxia, Bulletin Board Committee, Jusendra, Decoration Committee for Prom, Student Police.

"Step right up and call me 'Spud'." Who can resist Spud's friendly, earnest air? We can't.

ALLEGRA TRUITT

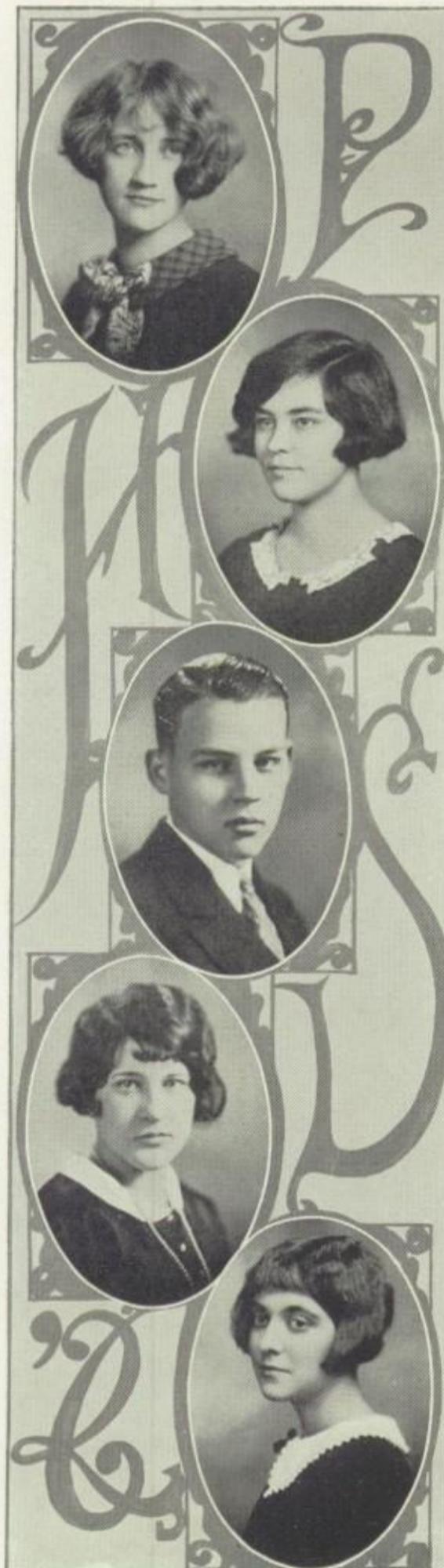
Jusendra, Commercial Club.

When Allegra has become convinced of a thing, she stands by her conviction clear through to the end.

ZELLA MAE VALLERY

President of Group, Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Zella has worked faithfully in the organizations to which she belongs; and where would any organization find itself without its "Old Faithfuls?"



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THEODORE VAN BUENING

Jusendra.

Theodore is quiet and unassuming. We all marvel at this young man with hosts of friends.

DOROTHY VAN BUSKIRK

Jusendra, Student Council, Music Club, Glee Club, Opinion Reporter, Tri-S, "The Magic Wheel."

Dot is a petite bundle of humor, pep and conversation; naturally, she is indispensable.

LILLIAN VAN HOHENSTEIN

Commercial Club, Student Council, Glee Club.

Lillian's eyes always haunt us—sometimes dreamy, sometimes twinkling, sometimes serious.

KATHERINE VAN WEY

G. A. A., Jusendra, Music Club, Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel."

Katherine is a marvel at keeping out of trouble. We wish she'd teach us how.

THELMA VOGEL

Commercial Club.

Thelma has a personality that wins, and in her own way she accomplishes much.

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CLITUS WAGLER

Jusendra.

Clitus is just as friendly as can be; so he has many friends.

VIVIAN WATKINS

Music Club, Debating Club.

People say that red hair is a sign of temper, but it's a much better sign of friendliness.

VONNA WEAVER

Secretary of G. A. A., Jusendra, Commercial Club.

Vonna is very sweet and very quiet—but if you only knew some of the things she has done at a church conference!

DEWAYNE WHITTEN

Treasurer of Group, Treasurer of Jusendra, Class Basketball, Glee Club, Student Council, Spanish Play.

Dizz has a way for annexing friends and he always keeps them, too.

LUCY WHITAKER

Commercial Club, Jusendra, Tri-S, Typing Team.

Lucy's laudable actions are an example to others. We missed her while she was gone, and are glad that she's come back.



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THELMA WHITE

Tri-S, Student Council, President of Spanish Club,

A very likeable miss, and one who holds a very responsible position as President of the Spanish Club.

BENARRD WILKEN

Treasurer of Group, Baseball Team.

Bernard has made life happy for all those humorously inclined. He's a good athlete too!

HAROLD WILTZ

Philaxia, President of Hi-Y, Debating Club, Social Science Club.

Along with many outside activities Harold has guided Hi-Y through a very successful season.

MILDRED WINTERS

Treasurer of Group, Commercial Club.

All goes well with Mildred, who has an unusual amount of patience and energy.

VONNIE WOODSON

Opinion Reporter, Tri-S, G. A. A., Glee Club, Music Club, Jusendra, Art Editor of *Crest*, "The Three Springs," "The Magic Wheel."

If you meet a very lovely girl with daubs of water color on her face or smock, just remember that it's Vonnie, the talented.

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RUTH WOODWARD

Student Council, Secretary of Debating Club, Jusendra, G. A. A., Glee Club, "The Magic Wheel."

Ruth dearly loves to debate, an occupation in which she excels.



VELMA ZERWEKH

Jusendra, Commercial Club, Treasurer of Group, Student Council, Vice-President of Group.

Velma's quiet ways and dependability make her envied by many.

CHARLOTTE ZIEGLER

Jusendra, Glee Club, Music Club, "The Magic Wheel."

If you hear a group of students laughing uproariously, Charlotte is sure to be in the center telling the usual witty joke or story.

ELSIE ZIMMERMAN

Secretary of Group, Commercial Club, Jusendra, Tri-S.

Elsie's serenity and flashing glance are her trump cards, and she takes all our hearts with them.

MAURICE ZOX

Student Council, Secretary of Group, Treasurer of Group, Jusendra, Glee Club, Group Basketball.

Maurice is very stern and businesslike at one moment, and very humorous at the next.

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ROBERT ZWEIFEL

President of Group, Captain of Group Basketball,
Class Basketball.

If there's anything to be done, Bob will do it.



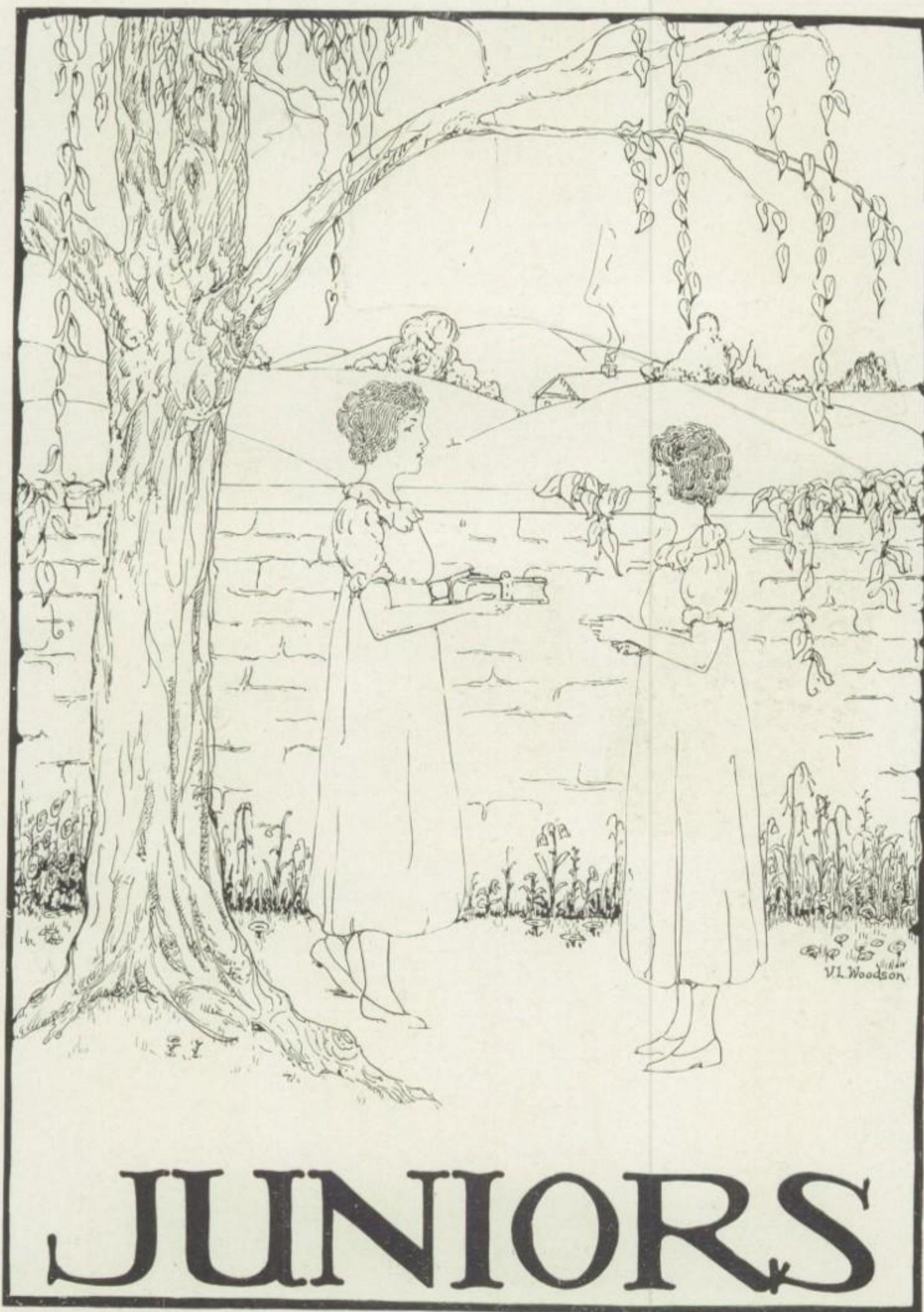
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RALPH BUERKE
MERLE BURDICK
GLEN CHILD
GWYNNE DUSKY
DONALD HARTQUIST
CLARENCE McWILLIAMS
EARL MILLER
ROLAND NELSON
WALLACE NYBERG
OSCAR SELING
CLOYD STURM
FRED MEIGS

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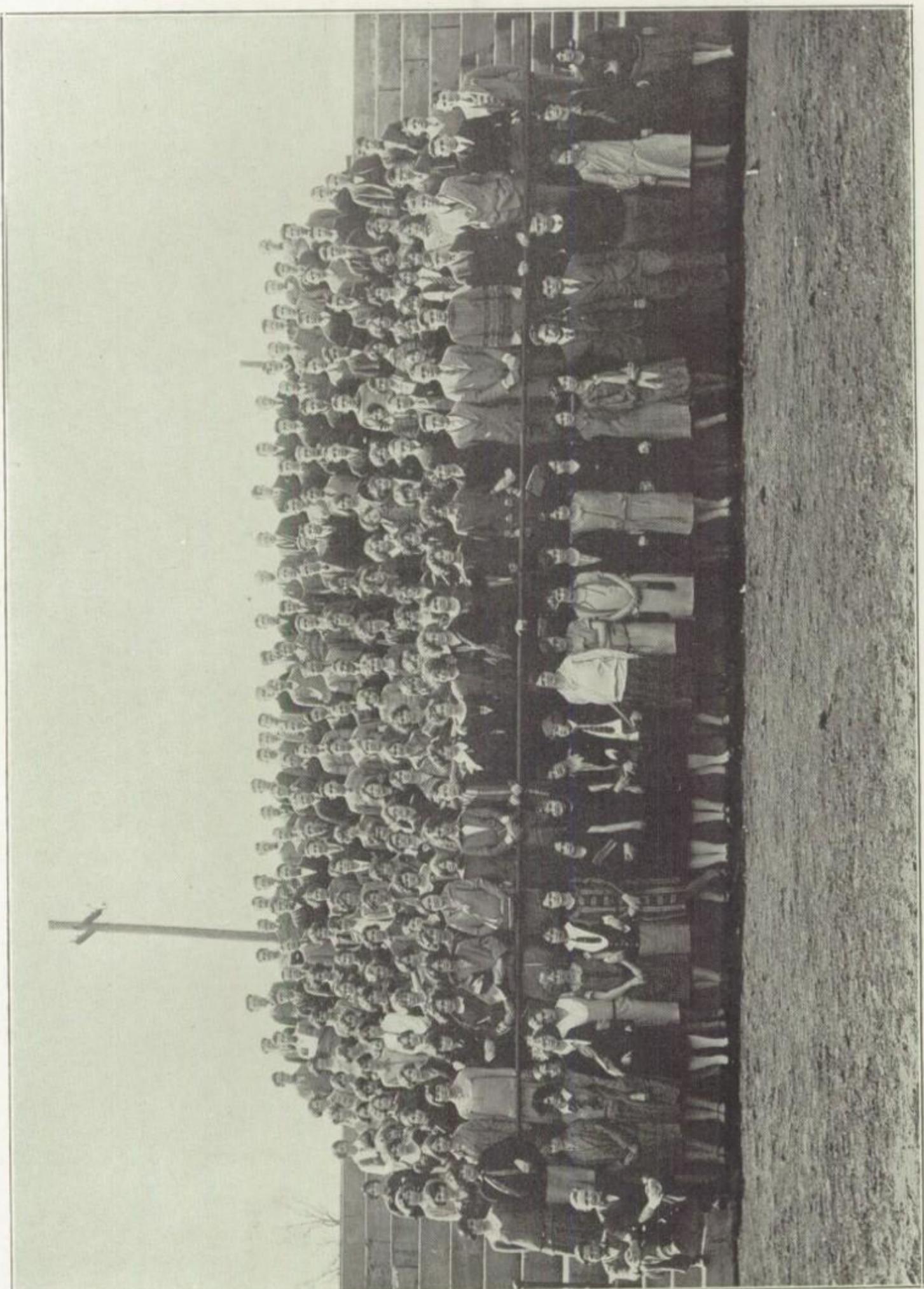


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JUNIORS

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Junior Class

FRED CRAWSHAW..... *President*
RUTH JOHNSON..... *Vice-President*
LUCILE TRIEBEL..... *Secretary*
WILLIAM MILES..... *Treasurer*

Believing that variety is to be desired, the Junior Class gave this year's Prom in April, instead of May, as in previous years. Socially, the Prom is the climax of the school year, and the Juniors made this a most striking one.

JUNIOR ACTIVITIES

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|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 1. Class Officer | 10. G. A. A. | 19. Orchestra | 27. English Club |
| 2. Class Basketball | 11. Student Police | 20. Stage Crew | 28. Plays |
| 3. Class Baseball | 12. Student Council | 21. French Club | 29. Debating |
| 4. Advisory Baseball | 13. Crest | 22. Spanish Club | 30. Opheleia |
| 5. Advisory Basketball | 14. Opinion | 23. Glee Club | 31. Track |
| 6. Advisory Officer | 15. Radio Club | 24. Commercial Club | 32. C. M. T. C. |
| 7. Jusendra | 16. Science and Math. | 25. Music Club | 33. Football |
| 8. Tri-S | 17. Social Science | 26. Operetta | 34. Basketball |
| 9. Hi-Y | 18. Band | | |

CLASS

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|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Anderson, 11 | Cappel, Joseph 7, 11, 31 | Green, Lowell 6, 5, 24, 23, 25 |
| Andrews, Mary 7 | Cromwell, George 7, 16, 17, 29 | Grimm, Genevieve 7, 24 |
| Alexander, Nellie | Chave, D. 7, 5 | Harrison, Charles |
| Alloy, Genevieve 8, 7, 28, 29 | Cripe, Genevieve 7 | Hewitt, Gillette 8, 7, 21 |
| Berkman, Walter 6, 7 | Chambers, Helen 7 | Hirsch, Miriam 7, 8, 27, 21 |
| Brown, Deloss 6, 11 | Camp, Villa 7, 8 | Hoepfner, Herbert 5, 6 |
| Brooks, Lucile | Drury, Thelma 7, 24, 10 | Hessling, Antoinette 7, 10, 24 |
| Blair, Helen 7, 24 | Dargel, Phyllis 6, 17, 7, 24, 30 | Henry, Helen 7 |
| Brown, Clara 10, 6, 24, 7 | Davenport, Felicite 7 | Henkes, Kermit 9, 6 |
| Brock, Dorothy 7, 6 | Ditto, Gladys 7, 10 | Huston, Ray 7, 8, 17 |
| Brender, Helen 6, 7 | Davis, Ray 9 | Huey, Yvonne |
| Bally, Harry 12 | Dean, Paul | Hornbacker, Joseph |
| Beil, Lenore 8 | Doubet, Harold 12, 5, 25 | Howe, Edwin 7, 12 |
| Bartley, Lewis 7, 23 | Ernst, Josephine 7, 8, 23 | Hardin, William 11, 2, 34 |
| Bailey, Frank | Ehrhardt, Eleanor 24 | Hotchkiss, Lawrence 6, 5, 4, 7 |
| Bohanon, Vilon | Ewert, Elvira 6, 30, 7, 22 | Hammond, Cleon 6, 11, 21, 27, |
| Bergquist, Walter 11 | Fuller, Ruth | 32, 16, 7 |
| Brown, Grace 12 | Furst, Elizabeth 7, 8, 30 | Hathaway, Pierre 7 |
| Boggess, Jeannette 8, 30, 7, 10 | Foerster, Doris 6, 10 | Jones, Helen 25 |
| Bourderaux, Bernita 7, 24 | Frederick, Katherine 7, 27 | Jamison, Katherine 30, 27, 8, |
| Busch, Lucille 7, 25 | Frankel, Janet 27, 21, 23, 25, | 7, 28, 6 |
| Butler, Helen 7, 8, 30 | 8, 30, 6, 7 | Jack, Eleanor 27, 21, 7, 8, 28 |
| Boyer, Elizabeth 7 | Geiger, Grant 11, 12 | Johnson, Ruth 1, 12, 30, 25, |
| Banta, Franklin 29 | Giles, Lois 23, 25, 10, 28 | 28, 21, 27 |
| Coppock, Thelma 7 | Gosnell, Leone | Joyce, Alta 6, 7 |
| Cravy, Caroline 7 | Golden, Joe 3, 2, 9, 33, 6, 5 | Landis, Howard 9, 6, 13, 33, |
| Cramer, Aurena 7, 24 | Gage, Harriet 8, 7, 22 | 31, 2, 3, 5, 4, 11, 7, 27, 22 |
| Claypool, Iola 29, 8, 17 | | Lewke, Edward 18, 19, 2, 3, 5 |
| Cappel, Josephine 21, 7, 10 | | Lung, Oscar 20, 11, 31, 28, 6 |
| Carroll, John | | |



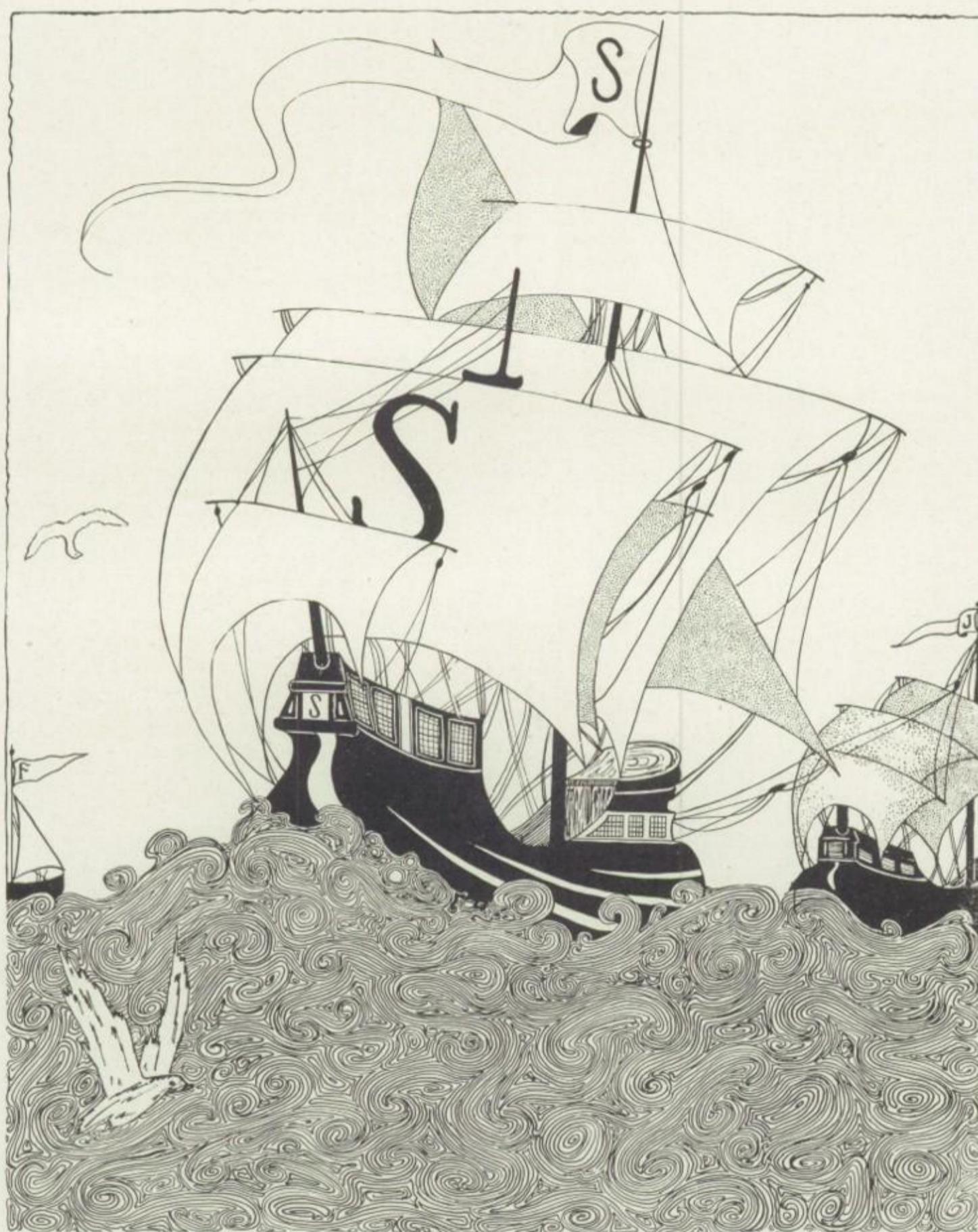
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- Litchtenberger, Neva
Lemoine, Marie 24, 6
Landers, Albert 6, 12, 31, 14, 11
Lutz, Elda 7, 8
Lauer, Virginia 8, 10, 7
Lewke, Walter 6, 25, 28, 23, 2,
 3, 9, 7, 20, 18
List, Edna 7, 6
- Mohler, Jack 6, 11, 17, 19, 28
Matthews, Donald 11
Morris, Donald 11, 27, 16, 28, 9
Murphy, Dorothy 6
Marshall, Jeannette 7, 8
Marshall, Grace 7, 6
Mathis, Ruth 7
Messer, Freda
Mullin, Mary 8, 25, 7
McMurray, George 6, 16, 9, 28,
 21, 7
Meyer, Nathan 16,
McElhaney, Etta 27
Miles, William 12, 9, 11, 1, 5
McNamara, Catherine 7
McCoy, Lillian
Miller, Vivian
- Neff, Beatrice 7
- Oswalt, Jack 22, 6
- Poorman, Addie 24, 6
Pierson, Shirley 8, 25, 23, 7
Parker, George 7, 28, 6, 22
- Pottker, Paul 20, 7, 11, 28
Phillips, Elizabeth 24, 7, 10
- Reyburn, Dorothy 6, 7
Radley, John 14, 21, 28, 12,
 27, 17, 29
Reyburn, Betty 7, 8
Ragon, Anne 6, 7, 8
Ruby, Eunice 6
Rutledge, Case 7, 9, 16, 17
Rice, Helen
Ross, Bill 2, 5
Ruark, Alice
- Siegfried, Howard 33, 11
Shaw, Edith 10, 7, 24
Stilley, Howard 23, 7
Strubar, Margaret 7, 8
Smith, Herbert
Smith, Gerald
Sherman, Casper 12, 6, 14
Shaver, Charles 6, 12, 11, 31,
 7, 25, 29,
Schlatter, Junior
Sauers, Gertrude 6
Snider, Helen 21, 7, 8
Stuber, Dorothy 7, 21, 6, 11
Siegfried, Addie
Shepherdson, Margaret 22, 7,
 27
Stowe, Seymour 29, 7, 11, 12,
 9, 27
Solomon, Louise 7
Selby, Virginia 10, 6, 11
Schaffer, Morris 2, 3, 7, 17, 22
- Shafer, Gus 6, 22, 27, 7, 28, 18,
 19, 31, 11
Sprague, Bernita 7
Smith, Virginia 13, 8, 30, 7, 12
- Thompson, Helen
Triebel, Lucille 30, 8, 10, 1,
 6, 7
Thompson, Sylvia 7, 10, 24
- VanCleave, James 7, 20, 27,
 11, 28
Vogel, Cyrilla 8, 22, 11
- Whistler, Lois 8
Williams, Thelma 7, 6
Wiltz, Ruth 7, 10
Waterman, Harris 11, 7, 16, 6
Wharry, Russell 23, 25
Walker, Edgar 6, 11, 17, 9, 22,
 7
Warner, Edgar 7, 11, 9, 4
White, Robert 6, 7, 4, 11
Wead, Robert 6
Wahlfeld, James 7
Woodworth, Martha 7, 24
West, Geraldine 24, 10, 7, 22, 12
Weber, Leona
Wade, Eleanor 7, 30
Willard, Helen 6, 7, 24
Woodcock, Harry 7
- Zipper, Marguerite 7
Zox, Oscar 7, 17, 6
Ziegler, Irene

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Sophomore Class

SOPHOMORE ACTIVITIES

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| 1. Class Officer | 8. Tri-S | 15. Band | 22. English Club |
| 2. Class Basketball | 9. Opinion | 16. Orchestra | 23. Operetta |
| 3. Class Baseball | 10. Cheerleader | 17. C. M. T. C. | 24. Science and Math. |
| 4. Music | 11. Advisory Officer | 18. Student Council | 25. Spanish Club |
| 5. Glee Club | 12. Advisory Basketball | 19. Football Squad | 26. Radio Club |
| 6. Gamma Opheleia | 13. Advisory Baseball | 20. Student Police | 27. Social Science |
| 7. G. A. A. | 14. Stage Crew | 21. Track | 28. Hi-Y |

CLASS

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Adams, Charles 22, 12 | Buck, Audrey | Fisher, Rosalind 6, 7, 8, 11 |
| Alberts, Dorothy 11 | Buck, Ray 11, 12, 20 | Fogerson, Edythe |
| Altorfer, Katherine 4, 8 | Burdick, Leroy 11 | Folkers, Ruth |
| Anderson, Mildred | Bushey, June 7, 8, 18 | Folkers, Edna 5 |
| Armentrout, Ralph 12, 13 | | Forbes, Dean |
| Armour, Dorothy 11 | Callender, Donald | Ford, Enid 5 |
| Applegate, Helen 8, 11 | Callender, Dorothy 18 | Friedlander, Elizabeth |
| Armstrong, Curtis 14 | Capron, Loren | Frye, Robert 11 |
| Bennett, Matilda 7 | Carey, Edwin 11, 20, 28 | |
| Bachelli, Virginia | Carlson, Armour | Gale, Dorothy 8 |
| Baer, Adelaide 4 | Citron, Robert | Garrett, Mildred |
| Baker, Blanche | Chessman, Mary 1, 6, 7, 8, 11 | Gimming, John 2, 3, 19 |
| Baker, Emily | Claes, Blanche | Goodwin, Lawrence |
| Barnes, John | Clark, Ruth | Grabow, Bernice R 4, 6, 8 |
| Bartholomew, Robert 2, 3, 11, 12 | Coffland, Hilma | Grothe, Edna |
| Bassett, Howard 14 | Coffman, David 9 | |
| Baumflek, 2, 12, 19, 21 | Collier, Althea | Hodes, Sarah |
| Baymiller, Carol 2, 3, 11, 12 | Collins, Audrey | Howland, Berneta 7, 11 |
| Becker, Dorothy | Comstock, George 4, 5, 24 | Hester, Ruth |
| Bescey, Esther | Condon, Bernadine | Holiday, Evelyn 8, 25 |
| Bell, Robert 11 | Cooley, William 4, 5, 13, 14 | Hoobler, Cathryn 4, 8 |
| Benn, Martha 7, 11 | Courtright, Claris 24 | Hammer, James 12, 19, 21 |
| Bensing, Eric | Crosbie, Margaret 24 | Harper, Marion |
| Berquist, Helen 6, 7, 11 | Caley, Gladys 5, 18 | Herman, Joseph |
| Bessler, Elsie | | Hosher, Karl 3, 12 |
| Beyer, Frances 4, 6, 8 | Davison, Lyman | Hinshaw, Harold |
| Birket, Dorothy 5, 7 | Deemy, Eleanor 5, 7, 8 | Hohn, Frederick 4, 16, 20 |
| Beckett, Oscar | Dent, Katherine | Hall, Marie |
| Blair, Kemper | Derr, Maxine 5, 11 | Hunt, Vera |
| Blair, Marion | Doty, Geneva | Hay, Betty 8, 25 |
| Block, Jeanne | DuPelle, Helen 5, 23 | Hayslip, Mina |
| Blumb, Frank 11 | Elliott, Jack 9, 10, 11, 12 | Hershe, Willard 15, 21 |
| Boyer, Harry | Elson, Malcolm 15, 19 | Hinners, Carroll 4, 5, 11, 24, 26 |
| Brady, Evelyn 7 | Evans, Harold 11, 14 | Hendricks, Walter 5 |
| Bradman, Leona 5, 7, 23 | Favus, Irving 11, 21 | Howland, Phyllis 11 |
| Brandon, Charlotte 4 | Field, Mary | Hoerr, Marie 4, 5, 7, 8 |
| Brown, Robert 4, 5, 12, 13 | Findley, Elizabeth 8, 18, 22 | Hofer, Harlan 21 |
| Brillisour, Martha 7 | | Hurff, Evelyn |
| | | Hahn, Lenora 5 |

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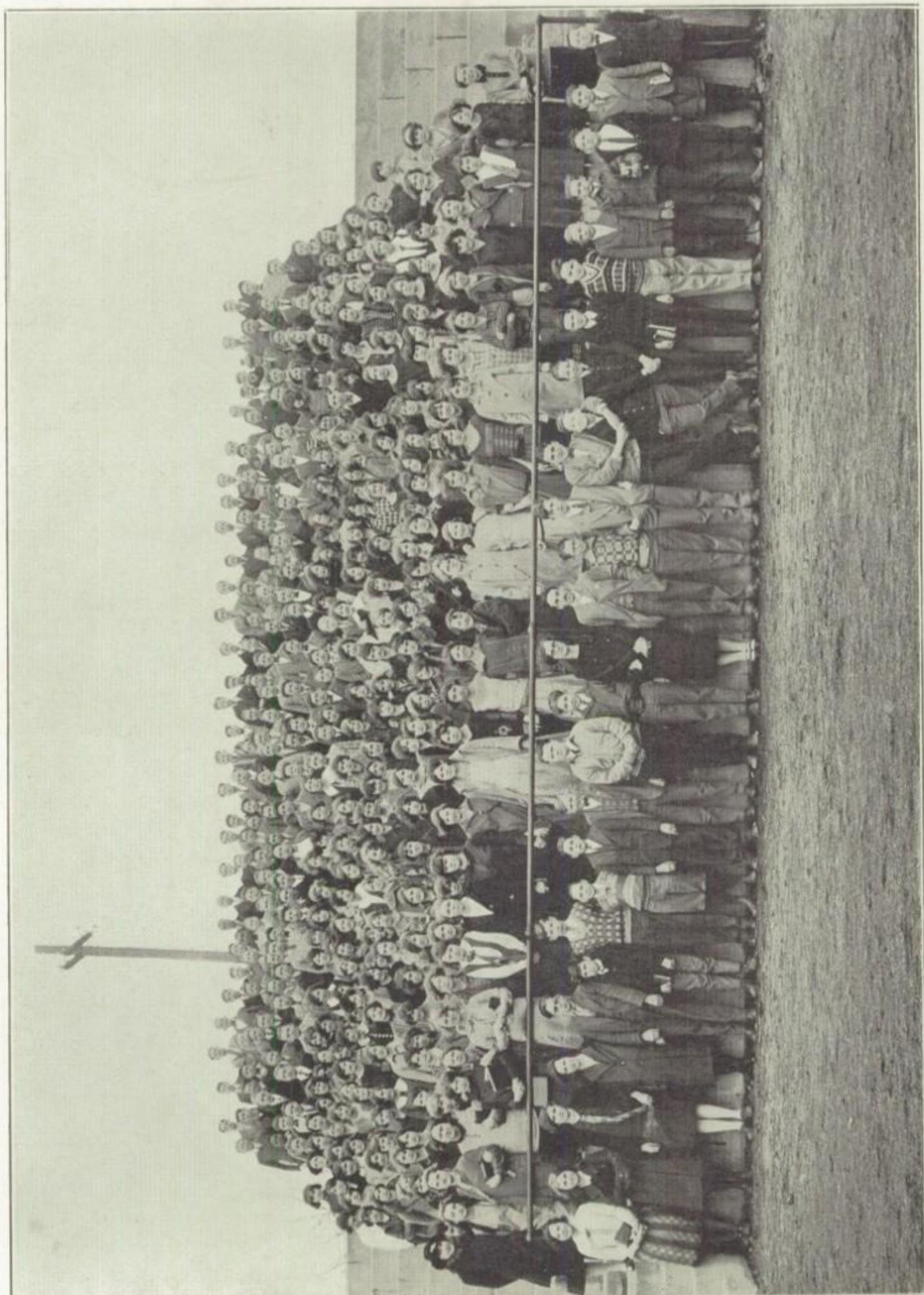
Inman, Mildred	5	Murphy, Stuart		Shofe, Robert
Jeffries, Ronald		Meyer, Agnes		Shively, William
Jacobs, Louise		Meyer, Marcella	5	11
Jackson, Lucille		Martin, Pauline		Sund, Fred
Johnston, Lucille		Mackley, Oliver	18, 24	Starry, Phyllis
Kilgore, Royal	15	Oesterle, Mildred	4	Shrier, Merlin
Keevers, Lucia		Oepke, Mary		Schell, Sidney
Kreiter, Gertrude		Owen, Robert	11, 12, 14	12, 13
Knepp, Walter		Peters, Florence	4, 25	Schmidt, William
Klein, Frank	12, 13	Perry, Robert		12, 13
Kiefer, Albert		Pepper, Miriam		Sims, Keith
Laimore, Hazel		Putnam, James	2, 3, 12, 18, 17	12, 13, 19, 21
Lohnes, Lucille	4, 5	Puckett, Edna		Smith, Chester
Lewis, George	11, 12	Ringel, Arleen	4	Swanson, Lillian
Lenz, Emilydale	5	Roberts, Howard		Schafer, Helen
Luthy, Carl	12	Rauch, Henry		5, 11
Long, Donald		Roll, Frank		Stonebock, Dorothy
Levitin, David	12, 16, 26	Reed, Virginia	4, 8	11
Law, Donald	20	Rodenhouser, Jayne	4, 8	Tebow, Elliott
Lee, Russell	3	Ronde, Lorena		Theis, Frances
Lovitch, Elsa		Reynolds, Naomi		Thayer, Lillian
Ludwig, Alma	8	Rankin, Jean		Tracy, Wheeler
Lemoine, Marcel		Reichelderfer, Frances	11	27
Lumberry, Glen		Roby, Scott	1, 11, 12, 13, 19, 20	Ullman, Mina
Miller, Catherine	7, 18	Reyburn, Stuart	11	Vogel, Genevieve
Mathis, Margaret	7, 11	Sutter, Anna		Van Buening, Nellie
Mcnroe, Lawrence	11, 24, 27	Shaw, Betty	4, 7, 8, 11	Verner, Arthur
McVey, John		Solomon, Henry	12	27, 20
McCormick, Russell		Stubblefield, Iris		Wear, Mavis
Marshall, Kenneth		Sawyer, Verner		Watkins, Clara
Marr, Layton		Samuelson, Ruth		Walker, Marjorie
Miskimen, Howard		Sax, Rebecca		Walker, Leona
Mannschott, Robert	4, 5, 11, 23	Stanton, Lillian		Walker, Virginia
McKeel, Bernadine		Stonecipher, Bernice	4	Weekly, Lucille
Mitchell, Frances		Shepherdson, Jeannette		11
Middour, Iva		Smith, Alice		Williamson, Carl
Meyer, Arvelia	5	Sturdy, Lois		Werner, Max
Miller, Dorothy	4, 8	Swartz, Pearl	4	White, Marjorie
McAllister, Roma	8	Sommer, Helen	8	4, 16
McCluggage, Betty		Snyder, Lorraine	4, 7, 8, 11	Wahlfeld, Richard
McComas, Perry		Swords, Clara	7, 8	Whitten, Carlisle
McCormick, Delos		Schradzki, Albert	15, 16	2, 9, 12
Miller, Ford		Simpson, Maurice		Waughop, Russell
				22
				Wiley, Llewellyn
				Williams, Lewis
				12
				White, Dick
				White, Maurine
				11
				Williamson, Anna
				Werckle, Carol
				4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11
				Wickert, Esther
				Welty, Bernice
				4, 5, 9, 23, 29
				Wahlfeld, Bernice
				Walker, Robert
				Zinn, Jane
				22, 25

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FRESHMAN

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FRESHMAN CLASS



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Freshman Class

BENJAMIN TAYLOR..... *President*
GEORGE PHALEN..... *Vice-President*
MILDRED WOLFENBARGER..... *Secretary*
DELBERT MARSHALL..... *Treasurer*
MISS NEWELL and MR. BURNS..... *Advisers*

On Tuesday, September 6, there arrived at Peoria High School a group of students who, judged by their actions, were new to the school. They were the freshman class of 1925, or more commonly called the class of '29.

Now this class is almost out of their freshman year. They will soon be sophomores. They have had a part in Student Government, and they are a part of the student body by action as well as name.

Some of their number have brought fame to their class. The most notable are the three men who made their letters in football, a fact which will be remembered for many years. These boys are Russel Page, Marshall Allen, and Wilbur Bouton.

On April 21, the class became better acquainted by having a party in the boys' gym. This was one of the most successful freshman parties ever given.

May these students be as happy, as they continue the road of high school life, as they have been as freshmen.

FRESHMAN ACTIVITIES

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|------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Class Officer | 7. Orchestra | 13. G. A. A. | 18. Basketball |
| 2. Advisory Officer | 8. Glee Club | 14. Tri-S | 19. Baseball |
| 3. Advisory Basketball | 9. Music Club | 15. Student Council | 20. Class Basketball |
| 4. Advisory Baseball | 10. Opinion | 16. Football | 21. Class Baseball |
| 5. Stage Crew | 11. C. M. T. C. | 17. Student Police | 22. Track |
| 6. Band | 12. Cheerleader | | |

CLASS

Akright, Frances	Brown, Ruth	Bolles, Norman 10
Athey, Marjorie	Busey, Dorothy	Burgus, Wilbert
Anderson, Helen	Booze, Doris	Burroughs, Matthew
Addis, Maurine	Best, Edwin 7	Boyd, Nan
Allen, Barbara 14	Barnard, John	Blumenrader, Aaron
Allen, Marshall 16, 17	Burns, Raymond 3	Baker, James
Albright, Ada	Brodman, Irma 9	Brown, Lucilee 14
Bergquist, Eileen 9, 14	Brown, Harold	Ball, Betty
Blomeyer, May 8, 9, 13, 14	Burnette, Leona	Birket, Virginia
Bessler, Elizabeth	Bush, Janet	Barnes, June
Bartholomew, Alpha	Buckingham, Elta	Bertinelli, Lena
	Boone, Madeline	Blumb, Bernadine 9

Freshman Class

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Boxwell, Blanche	Fritzsche, Ruth	Kook, Vernita
Blumb, Holly	Folden, Dorothy	Kuhn, Kenneth
Bahr, Lucile	Foster, Thelma	Kelly, Mildred
Belden, Kathryn 14	Fears, Ophelia	Kuntz, Nelson 3
Blank, Robert 9, 12		Kidd, Russell 5
Cain, Antoinette 14	Garrard, Earl	Kelly, Edna
Cain, Annette 14	Gale, Marjorie	Kannepel, Lowell
Coffinberry, Florence	Gordon, Austin 2, 8	Kuntz, Lorene
Catcott, Rosemary	Gambach, Lela 7	Kinsey, Warren 3, 8
Clauss, Wilma	Garham, Dorothy	Kipp, Dick B.
Cripe, Phyllis	Graham, Robert 7, 3	Kipp, Raymond 3
Chockley, Leona 13	Gapen, Helen	Kipp, Robert 22
Chown, Pauline	Goble, Gwendolyn 9	Kime, Kenneth
Conwell, Robert	Graves, Verner 3, 8	Lugering, Gladys
Clark, Horace	Gearheard, Edward 3, 8, 21, 22	Levinson, Harold
Chapin, Charles	Grundy, Walter	Leroy, Asher 2
Caldwell, Winifred 9, 13	Garland, Grace	Leid, Ruth
Connett, Ruth	Gibbs, Arnold 8, 9, 11, 3, 4	Larsen, Robert 3, 6, 7
Connett, Helen	Gerring, Ruth	Lewis, Mildred
Camp, Edith	Glendy, Ralph	Lewis, Dorothy 13, 14
Cramer, Ted 3	Griffith 9, 13, 14	Larson, Agnes
Cavett, William 3, 20, 21	Green, James 3, 20, 22	Lloyd, Evelyn
Curtis, Forrest	Hester, Lucille 9	Langjahr, Ernest
Claybourne, Edwin 3	Hunt, Marion	Lefler, Arvilla
Chave, William	Heyl, Helen 14	Lumberry, Mildred 9
Dillon, Frances 9, 14	Hessling, Agnes	Millner, Virginia 13, 14
Davis, Katherine 8	Holling, William	Mead, Louise
Doering, Chester	Hoppin, Albert 12, 3, 8, 9, 4	Murphy, Mary
Danley, Eugene	Herschel, Robert	Murphy, Floreine
Dempster, Viola	Hardy, Russell 3, 4	Mendenhall, Marjorie
Dobbins, Dean	Horn, Dorothy	Meneley, Carl
Drake, William	Heidewald, Charles	Moldenhaur, John
Doolittle, Claire	Hobbs, Ada	Martin, Mary
DeWulf, Mary	Harms, Dorothy	Mould, Robert
Dockstader, Marguerite 13	Heinz, Pearl 9, 13	Mammen, Bernadine 9, 13
Eckard, Frances 14	Hudson, Helen	Mansfield, John
Ewing, Fay	Hammer, Margaret, 13	Maushard, Geraldine 8
Ehresman, Russell	Higbee, Louise 13	Miller, Corabelle
Erzinger, Janice	Higgs, Marie	Marshall, Delbert 1, 12, 17
Eichorn, Willbur	Huber, Helen	Marshall, Mildred
Emerson, Helen	Handzo, Bertha 9	Miller, Annabelle
Emery, Dorothy	Irwin, Arthur	Melvin, Margaret
Easland, Karl	Jones, Marvin 3, 4, 20, 21	Montas, Elizabeth
Endres, Clara	Johns, Charles	McOmber, Rita
Elkins, Eva	Janssen, Elsa	MacMahon, Robert 14, 13, 1
Ewing, Elizabeth	Jacobson, Charlotte	Morrison, Walter 3
Fulton, Howard 3, 8	Johnson, Thelma	Moeller, Philip
Foster, John	Jackson, Dorothy	McNeely, H. R.
Fox, Lucille	Jacobs, Andrew	Nicol, William
Frye, Isaphene	Joschko, Evelyn	Nyberg, Paul
Fardon, Ethel	Journay, Jeanne 9, 13	Nance, Helen 9, 13
Franke, George	Jones, Laverne	Olander, Louise 9
Foote, Lane 13	Johnson, Edith	Ogden, Shirley 13
Friederick, Frieda	Kellam, LeRoy	Off, Charles 3, 8
Foerter, Allan	Kohler, Esther	Osborne, Mary 2
Fell, Gertrude	Kincaid, Gladys 13	Oster, Farnum

Freshman Class

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Powley, Verne	Slenker, Harriett 2, 14	Tortat, Margaret
Paith, Bernice	Schubert, Louise 13	Taggart, Grace 9
Peel, Harold	Sherman, Vivian 13, 14, 15	Thornberg, Clyde 2
Powers, Gordon	Schriever, Eleanor 2	
Powell, Kathryn 9	Schell, Asa 2, 3, 6	Unger, Sara
Pierce, Irene	Shaffer, Abram 8	Unsicker, Esther
Poulton, Jeanne 13	Sorrel, Leonard	
Presley, Alvah 18, 20, 21	Siegle, Herman 8	Wolf, Mignonette 9
Price, Mildred	Scripps, George	Walker, Zoe 13
Pulliam, Gertrude 13	Sperling, Edwardine 9, 14	Whiteker, 9, 13
Partridge, Clifford 6, 7	Sander, Roy	Wolfenbarger, Mildred 1, 14
Phalen, George 1, 8	Swanson Nora	Wendell, Geneva
Pottker, Ralph	Solomon, Virginia 14	Weston, Virginia
Quinn, Kerker	Siegfried, Mary 13	Wakefield, Mildred
Raymond, Dick 7	Strunker, Lois	Wylie, Bernice
Rutherford, Robert	Sears, Mabel	Weber, Mary
Reuter, Harold 6	Snyder, Veda	Wallis, John
Ruch, Helen 9, 13	Shively, Josephine	Williams, Orville
Rutledge, James	Strubhar, Robert	White, Phyllis
Reid, Elsie 9	Solomon, Helen 9	Wittstrom, Bernice
Roeslen, Emma	Snyder, Marcella 9	Woodward, Frances A.
Ruby, John	Stewart, Dorothy 9	Walser, Harold 3
Rhiner, Rachel	Sleater, Marguerite	Woodward, Morrill
Reichel, August	Smith, Don 3, 20, 21	Woodson, Charles
Rinabarger, Don	Summers, Lois	
Roby, Edward 3, 8	Stearns, Laura	Yoder, Elma
Stevens, Squiffs E. 2	Sipp, Helen	Youngs, Virginia 13, 9, 2
Sehmer, Ruth	Smith, Lucille	
	Tompkins, Caroline	Zipper, Albert
	Triebel, Henry 6	Zimmerman, Helen
	Taylor, Benjamin 1	Zimmerman, Le Roy



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ORGANIZATIONS

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Student Council

LAWRENCE S. MOFFETT.....*President*

JEAN BROWN.....*Vice-President*

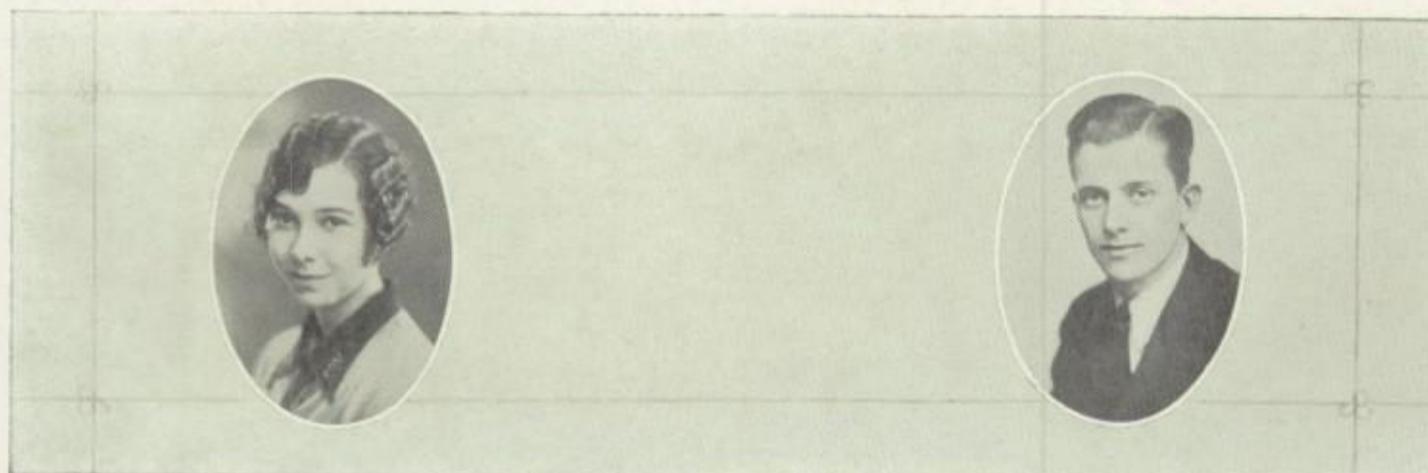
JEAN STONE.....*Secretary*

EDWARD SEELEYE.....*Treasurer*

This is the fourth year for the Council in Peoria High, but never before in its history has it made such progress as it has this year under the able leadership of Lawrence Moffett, its president. "Lot's" every effort has been for the Council, and he has helped to show what co-operation among the students truly is.

Some of the most important steps that the Council considered and placed before the school for adoption this year were:

- (1) Changing of the school's monthly magazine, the *Opinion*, to a weekly paper.
- (2) Establishing self-government in the study halls.
- (3) Conducting a Book Exchange department.
- (4) Sponsoring school dances.
- (5) Passing a Civil Service bill dealing with eligibility of students to hold school offices.



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National Honor Society

DALE PHALEN President
MARTHA M. PRICE Vice-President
BERNICE MILLER Recording Secretary
IOLA CLAYPOOL Corresponding Secretary

Scholarship, leadership, character, and service are the qualities on which members are chosen for the National Honor Society, the Phi Beta Kappa of the high schools of America. The faculty committee is composed of Miss Stewart (adviser), Miss Boynton, Mrs. Belsley, Mrs. Wisman, and Mr. Epstein.

The present members are: Dale Phalen, Jean Brown, Josephine Spangler, Harriet Todd, Elizabeth Spitler, Blanche Benton, Frances Boston, Ruth Brownell, Dorothy Clark, Luther Dearborn, Charlotte Doyle, Harold Furrey, William Gauss, Faye Gehlert, Richard Hoyt, June Johnson, Juanita Kime, Mildred Lane, Bernice Miller, Gladys Moberly, Harriet June Myers, Jane Orr, Keith Peters, Martha Marie Price, Ora Reed, Cecil Royalty, Spencer Trudgen, and two members from other schools, Iola Claypool and Inez Kernan.

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Philaxia

JACK H. BONTJES President

LUTHER DEARBORN Vice-President

WILLIAM P. GAUSS Secretary-Treasurer

MR. ARTHUR EPSTEIN Faculty Sponsor

LAWRENCE MOFFETT

FRED MEIGS

SPENCER TRUDGEN

HOWARD BROWN

JOHN HOWARD

BRANSON BAKER

HOMER CALDWELL

MAC TOBIAS

FRANK BELSLEY

LEROY KENNEDY

HAROLD FURREY

RICHARD HOYT

KENNETH DEAN

EDWARD SEELYE

DALE PHALEN

KEITH PETERS

HAROLD WILTZ

ROBERT GEDDES

ROBERT HOUK

ROBERT HILL

HOWARD SEDGWICK

LUTHER DEARBORN

JACK BONTJES

WILLIAM GAUSS

The faculty council is:

MR. WYND

MR. COLE

MR. CATION

MR. WELD

MR. DAILY

MR. EPSTEIN

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Opheleia

Opheleia is closing its third year of service and loyalty to Peoria High School. From a beginning in the "Senior Girls Service Society" it has grown into three chapters representing the sophomore, junior and senior classes, or Gamma, Beta and Alpha Opheleia.

It has been the sincere endeavor of every Opheleia girl to give her best in activities for our school, as well as to keep up our scholastic standard. Since the members are elected by the faculty, each girl feels her especial responsibility in deserving the honor of membership.

Opheleia was in charge of the Rainbow Football Banquet this year. The every day service has been carried on by helping Miss Fisher in the library, Miss Bartlett in her office, and at the Lost and Found department. The girls sold candy at "Thank-U" and registered visitors during Go-to-School week. They have tried to help at all times in all things. Our loyal and able sponsors are: Miss Hawkins, Miss Wilson, Miss Ottenheimer, Miss Boynton, Miss Hayes, Miss Roberts and Miss Coppock.

The three highest aims of Opheleia are service, loyalty and friendliness to everyone and everything in our Peoria High School.

Members are

ALPHA CHAPTER

JEAN STONE, *President*
JOSEPHINE SPANGLER,
Vice-President
DOROTHY CLARK, *Sec.*
FAYE GEHLERT, *Treas.*
JEAN BROWN
GERTRUDE HAYES
GLADYS MOBERLY
JANE ORR
MARTHA MARIE PRICE
ESTHER MOHLER
MABEL GREEN
ELIZABETH SPITLER
FRANCES BOSTON
JUNE JOHNSSON
RUTH JOHNSSON
HARRIET TODD
KATHERINE STATES
GEORGIA HUGGINS
RUTH NELSON

BETA CHAPTER

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Secretary-Treasurer
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VIRGINIA THEOBALD
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VIRGINIA SMITH
ELIZABETH FURST
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LUCILLE TRIEBEL
JANET FRANKEL
HELEN BUTLER

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MARGARET
RUTHERFORD
EDNA REESE
BERNICE GRABOW
HELEN BERQUIST
FRANCES BEYER

Advisers

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MISS WILSON
MISS BOYNTON
MISS HAYES
MISS COPPOCK
MISS ROBERTS

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Hutcherson

Bontjes

Landers

Price

Phalen

Brill

Gauss

Muirhead
Bosenbury
Royalty

Miller

Dunker
Radley

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The Opinion

Without doubt the greatest achievement of the *Opinion* for the year 1925-26 is the change in form and publication. For the past few years a magazine has proved to be inadequate for the wants of a high school the size of ours. A weekly paper was inevitable.

The first issue of the *Opinion* in its new form appeared October 1, a five column, four page paper.

Of course in making the change, it meant that new systems, a new style of writing, and new methods of business must be introduced. This called for the co-operation of all concerned. And it was only brought about through the hard work of the faculty adviser, Mr. Muirhead, and the members of the staff, with Dale Phalen as the very capable editor-in-chief.

New members had to be added to the staff; it required constant work to put the paper out every week, and an entirely new side of school life—the absolute side—had to be fully covered; all of these problems presented themselves.

Immediately, negotiations were begun for a printing press of our own. With this a better paper was assured, and a much more convenient and practical method of publishing it. At length, through the instrumentality of Mr. Muirhead and Mr. Cromwell, a flat-bed Campell press, a linotype machine, an intertype machine, a cutter, a folder, a small hand press, and type to print almost anything, were purchased by the *Opinion*. Now Peoria High School can boast of a very good print shop.

The *Opinion*, however, soon proved too small, and it was enlarged to six columns, which is now its present size.

The *Opinion* as it now stands is a part of the school life. The news in it is not dead from a month ago, but it is timely and that is what counts. Students look to the *Opinion* for information, not for a record of stories and events of the past month.

The *Opinion* can be said to be strictly a high school product. It is edited by a staff of students, set up by a class composed of students, and printed by students. It is a students' paper.



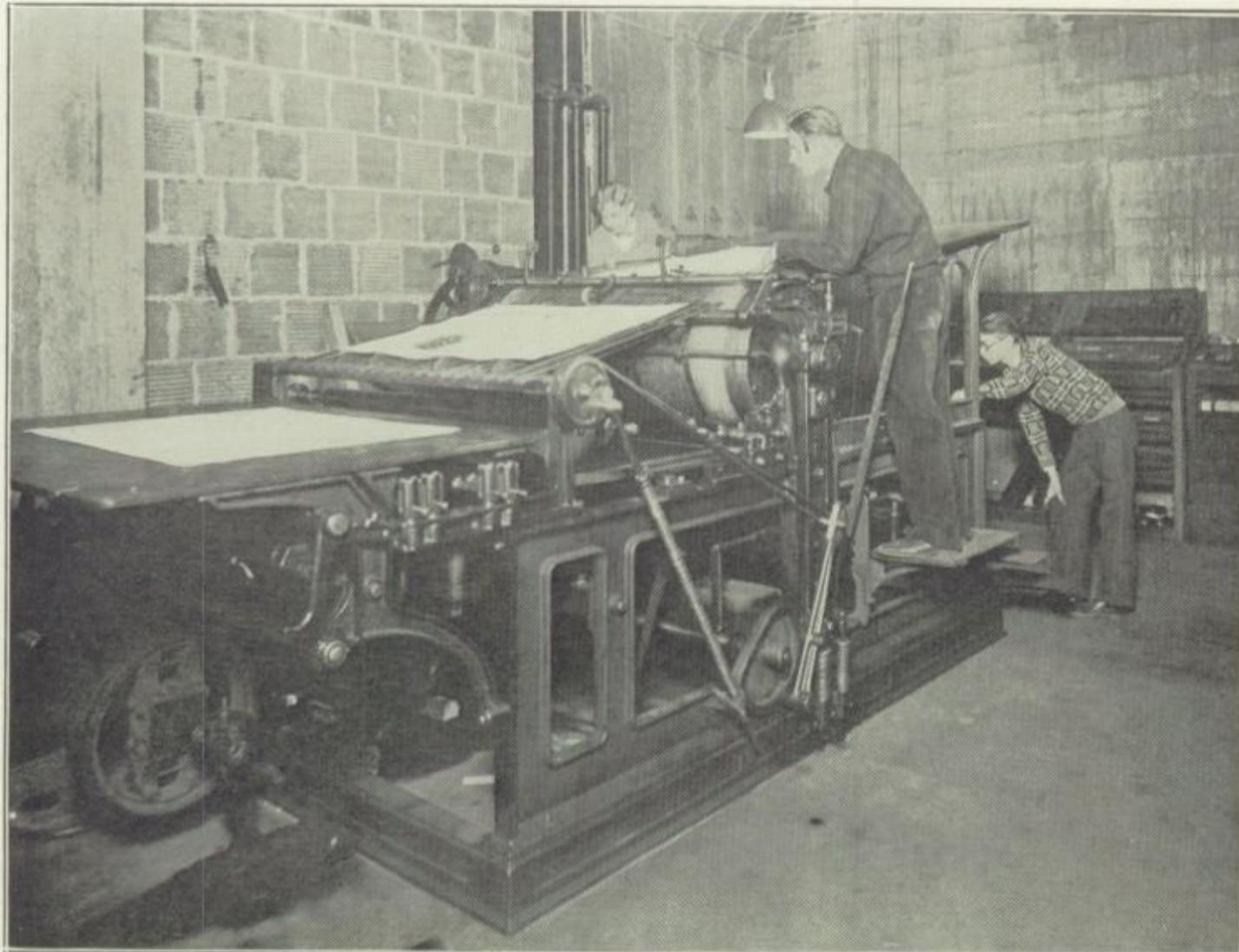
KREITER

DUNKER BOSENBURY

BOLLES

Composing Machines

The Intertype machine of the latest model seen in the above picture is operated by Joe Bosenbury. At the left is also shown the linotype machine. These machines comprise the composing department of the Press Room.



REED

KIPP

RINABARGER

Press Room

The above picture is that of the Opinion Press in operation. This press was bought by the *Opinion* without any outside aid from the school board. Due to the business ability of Mr. Muirhead, ably abetted by Mr. Cromwell, the *Opinion* has this year undertaken the publication of a weekly newspaper on its own press. This matter of student publication is one of the greatest steps to be undertaken by a high school and it has been successfully accomplished by Peoria High School.

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Beisley

Dunlop
Ireland
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Caley

Dearborn

Orr

Trudgen

Muirhead

Spangler

Ewers
Brownell

Todd

Bontjes

Crawshaw
Moffett
Smith



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Crest

The *Crest* represents the culmination of the school year, and gives an outlook into the school life of the individual students. It combines the memories of school and friends with a chronicle of the year's activities. In probably no other way can the recollections of faces and events of school and friends, be kept vivid in the minds of those who watched the drama of high school life as it unfolded before them.

Out of the custom of devoting the final monthly issue of the *Opinion* to the Seniors, has developed the idea of an annual, separate in organization, content, and appearance.

The staff is entirely separate from that of the *Opinion*. It is chosen by the editor of the *Crest* with the helpful suggestions and advice of the faculty.

In some respects the magazine form of the *Opinion* corresponded to that of the *Crest*, but with the change made by the *Opinion* to a weekly newspaper, the difference is quite radical. The *Crest* is now definitely the Annual of Peoria High School, and not merely the final edition of the monthly literary magazine.

The most noticeable, and probably the most remarkable change in the Annual this year, is the color of the cover. The staff hopes that the color combination of blue and gold will not only be acceptable, but also pleasing to the readers of the *Crest*. In conformity with the spirit of progress, the *Crest* is this year printed on a paper stock much heavier than that used formerly. This paper allows greater clarity and detail in the halftones, besides adding to the value of the *Crest* in other ways.

The staff wishes to thank the representatives of the different organizations who wrote the accounts of their clubs for the year, and also Dale Phalen who wrote the dramatics, and Joe Bosenbury who assisted considerably in getting advertisements.

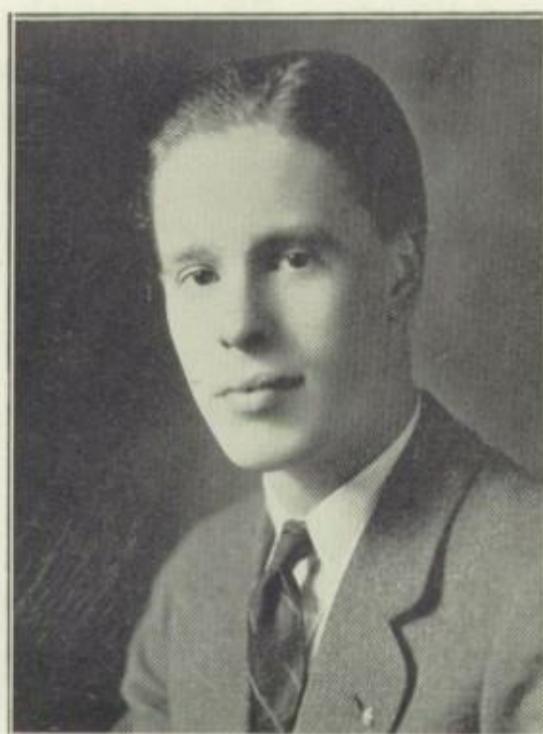
Much of the credit for the success of this issue goes to the faculty advisor, Mr. Muirhead. He has spent many weary hours writing, advising, and helping in general. Being the only faculty adviser, more work than usual was piled on his unprotesting shoulders.

The staff hopes that they have produced this year an annual which will properly represent the student body and will take a high place among other notable year books. To this end the staff has striven, and they now send the *Crest* forth among friends, hoping it will uphold the traditions of the past and furnish an inspiration for the future.

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MEIGS

Jusendra

FRED MEIGS.....	<i>President</i>
ELIZABETH SPITLER.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
VIRGINIA BROWNELL.....	<i>Secretary</i>
DEWAYNE WHITTEN.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
WILLIAM BROWN.....	<i>Business Manager</i>
JAMES KUNTZ.....	<i>Local Business Manager</i>
MISS AUDRA NEWELL.....	<i>Faculty Sponsor</i>

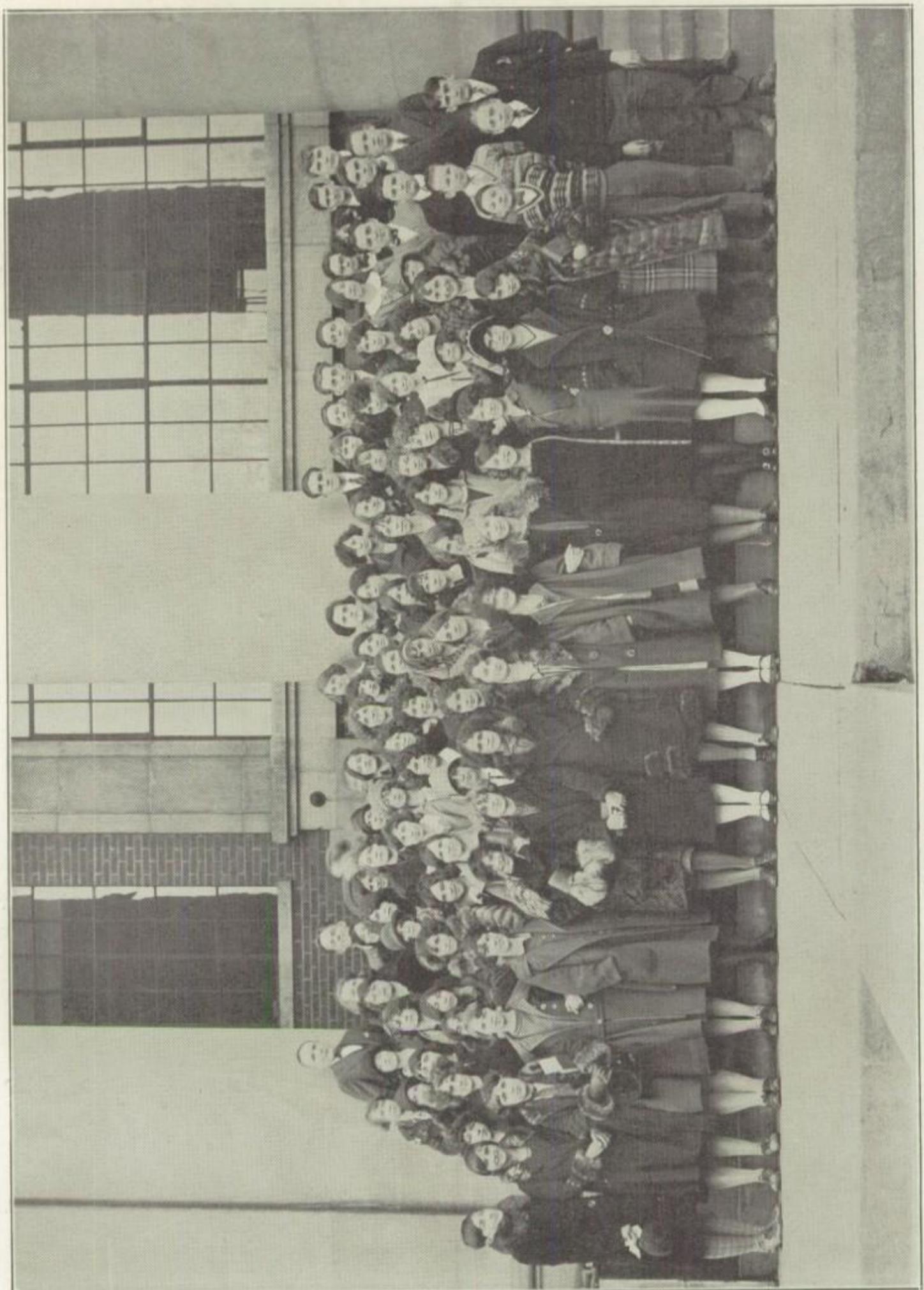
Jusendra, the Junior-Senior dramatic society, has prospered greatly under the direction of Miss Buswell and promises to continue so under the guidance of Miss Newell, its new adviser.

"The Trysting Place" was the first of the season's offerings. "Enter the Hero," "Fiat Lux," "A Night at an Inn," "The Obstinate Family," "La Marrine de la Guerre," and the "French Toyshop," were the other afternoon performances. "The Admirable Crichton," a James Barrie play, coached by Miss Cornelius, was chosen for the evening production of the year. The other teachers who have done coaching during the year are: Miss Newell, Miss Bunch, Miss Buswell, Mr. Burns.

Miss Hope Summers, director of dramatics at Bradley, addressed the organization on "Play Production." At another special meeting, Miss Leila Hill and Mr. Adrian Ellsworth of the Gifford Players, each gave a short talk on the interesting experiences of a stock company.

Besides its monthly plays, Jusendra presented the Fashion Show, which has heretofore been given entirely by the Domestic Art Department.

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Music Club

FAYE GEHLERT.....	<i>President</i>
RUTH BUCK.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
RUTH JOHNSON.....	<i>Secretary</i>
STUART MURPHY.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
MISS MERLIN TERHUNE.....	<i>Faculty Sponsor</i>

In past years, the aim of the Music Club has been to bring the best outside talent to Peoria High. This year, however, has been devoted to the presentation of school talent, and many delightful programs have been given. Much credit is due Charlotte Doyle, the chairman of the program committee.

"The Wishing Well," a charming Irish operetta, was the largest undertaking of the year. Its successful presentation on April 8 was the work of the students themselves. Charlotte Doyle was general director; Faye Gehlert, assistant director; Ruth Buck, dramatic coach; Juanita Kime, chorus director; Frances Boston, vocal coach; Katherine Hoagland, ballet; and Gladys Smith, costumes. The proceeds from this production were used to defray the expense of sending the Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs and solo contestants to the annual Big Twelve contests held at Springfield.

In this contest, held April 30 and May 1, Peoria High succeeded in taking a generous share of the laurels. Harvey Kuntz placed first in tenor solo work. This is remarkable, considering the fact that he began his training in solo work only a short time before the contest. Helen Strubhaar, playing in her usual finished style, won first place in the piano solos. Frances Boston placed second in soprano, Clarence Coons, second in flute, and the combined orchestras, second.

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GALE BLAKESLEE
CLIFTON BUTLER
BRUCE CLARK
HOWARD DUNKER
Gwynne Dusky
MALCOLM ELSON
HOMER FRYE
WILLIAM GAUSS
DUANE HALL
HARRY HANSON

COMBINED BAND

WILLARD HERSH	GUS SHAFER
ROYAL KILGORE	ROBERT THRUSH
EDWARD LEWKE	HENRY TIEBEL
WALTER LEWKE	ROBERT WILKINSON
ROBERT LAWSON	WALTER WAGNER
DELBERT MARSHALL	CLARENCE COONS
CLIFFORD PARTRIDGE	ASA SHELL
HAROLD REUTER	EDGAR RAINY
RICHARD SIMS	LESTER SMITH
	CLARENCE BELL

ORCHESTRA

FAYE GEHLERT, MARJORIE WHITE, NANCY HARRIS	National High School Orchestra
FRANCES THEIS	CLARENCE COONS
LELA GAMBACH	VIRGINIA GILMORE
IRENE ANN FREY	FRED HAHN
LIBETH GRILL	JUNE BARNES
Gwynne Dusky	EDWARD LEWKE
ALBERT SCHRADZKI, HELEN STRUBHAR, WILLIAM SHAFFER, ARLEEN MELVIN	DAVID LEVITON
	MILDRED DRYDEN
	CLIFFORD PARTRIDGE
	GALE BLAKESLEE
	BETTY JANE BEST



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Glee Clubs

There are three Girls' Glee Clubs: Freshman, Intermediate, and Advanced. The Freshman, as the name implies, is composed of freshman girls, and is equivalent to first year chorus. Sophomore and junior girls make up the Intermediate Glee Club, while the Advanced Club is composed of senior girls and advanced junior girls. The total membership of the combined Girls' Glee Clubs is two hundred.

The Freshman and Intermediate Clubs are to sing in the Sangerfest in June. This colossal "singing feast" is directed by Mr. Howard Kellogg, with a chorus of some two thousand.

The Advanced Girls' Glee Club was entered in the State contest. This contest is held annually at Springfield. Last year our Boys' Glee Club placed first; our Girls' Glee Club, second, and the mixed chorus of sixty, placed second.

The Girls' Sextette, an organization of the Advanced Girls' Club, composed of Annabel Straesser, Mildred Dryden, Faye Gehlert, Juanita Kime, Charlotte Doyle and Ruth Buck, sang at the State Teachers' Convention and for several other occasions.

The Boys' Glee Club includes the Freshman and Advanced organizations. There are sixty members in the combined Boys' Glee Club.

The Freshman boys are to sing in the Sangerfest, and the Advanced Boys went down to Springfield.

Part of the Girls Glee Club appeared in the "Wishing Well," an operetta put on under student direction.

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English Club

BERNICE MILLER.....*President*
DON MORRIS.....*Vice-President*
FERDINAND CHUSE.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
M. HELEN BELSLEY.....*Faculty Sponsor*

The English Club of Peoria High School is an organization which has for its members those students who are interested in English and who have either G's or E's in English. The membership is limited to thirty Seniors, twenty Juniors, and ten Sophomores, all of whom are recommended by the faculty of the English department. The purpose of the club is to stimulate an interest in English by giving the students an opportunity to express themselves in debating, reading, dramatics, poetry, and short-story writing.

Among this year's programs were "Nevertheless," a play by Stuart Walker, a program of original short stories, a debate, and a discussion of poetry.

This year's members are:

VIVIAN ALLAN	LUCILLE HOUGHTON	MARTHA MARIE PRICE
EVELYN BEST	MARJORIE JACKSON	CECIL ROYALTY
JACK BONTJES	INEZ KERNAN	NAOLA SULZBERGER
FRANCES BOSTON	JUANITA KIME	IRENE FREY
RUTH CAMBELL	MILDRED LANE	HAROLD FURREY
FERDINAND CHUSE	HARRIET JUNE MYERS	DOROTHEA BLENDER
LUTHER DEARBORN	BERNICE MILLER	GERTRUDE HAYES
CHARLOTTE DOYLE	JANE ORR	HOWARD BROWN
FAYE GEHLERT	KEITH PETERS	WILLIAM GAUSS
GENEVRA HORNBACKER	DALE PHALEN	PHYLLIS DARGEL
JANET FRANKEL	MARJORIE LUCAS	CHARLES ADAMS
KATHERINE FREDERICK	ETTA McELHANEY	MARY CHESSMAN
MIRIAM HIRSCH	WILLIAM MILES	MARY EASTON
CLEON HAMMOND	DON MORRIS	ELIZABETH FINDLEY
LAWRENCE HOTCHKISS	JOHN RADLEY	EVELYN McGOWEN
ELEANOR JACK	M. SHEPHERDSON	LAWRENCE MONROE
CATHERINE JAMISON	SEYMOUR STOWE	JAMES VAN CLEAVE
RUTH JOHNSON	ELEANOR WADE	LLEWLYN WILEY
HOWARD LANDIS	ROSE WEINSTEIN	JANE ZINN
DOROTHY LEE	JOHN HOUK	MARJORIE KRAKER
	EDNA REESE	

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Social Science Club

JANE ORR.....	<i>President</i>
MARTHA MARIE PRICE.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
PHYLLIS DARGEL.....	<i>Secretary</i>
KEITH PETERS.....	<i>Treasurer</i>

The Social Science Club, organized three years ago for the purpose of encouraging interest in history, geography, and economics, is one of the most rapidly growing clubs in school. Its membership includes sophomores, juniors, and seniors who have an average of "G" or "E" in all their subjects. The club meets every second Wednesday, immediately after school. The advisers are Mr. Heghin, Mr. Daily, Mr. Burns, Miss Watson, Miss Newell, Mr. Murphy and Miss Neville.

This year's program have been especially interesting. Several debates by the students and some very educational talks by the faculty advisers were given, besides programs given by outsiders. Among these were an illustrated lecture on Spain and Egypt and talks by Chi Gamble, Colonel B. C. Bryner, Lieutenant Aiken, and Miss Taylor.

Early in the year, the club sponsored a "get-together" party, and thus established bonds of friendship among the members.

The Social Science Club, strengthened by the loyal support and interest of the students and advisers, bids fair to advance rapidly among the organizations of the school.

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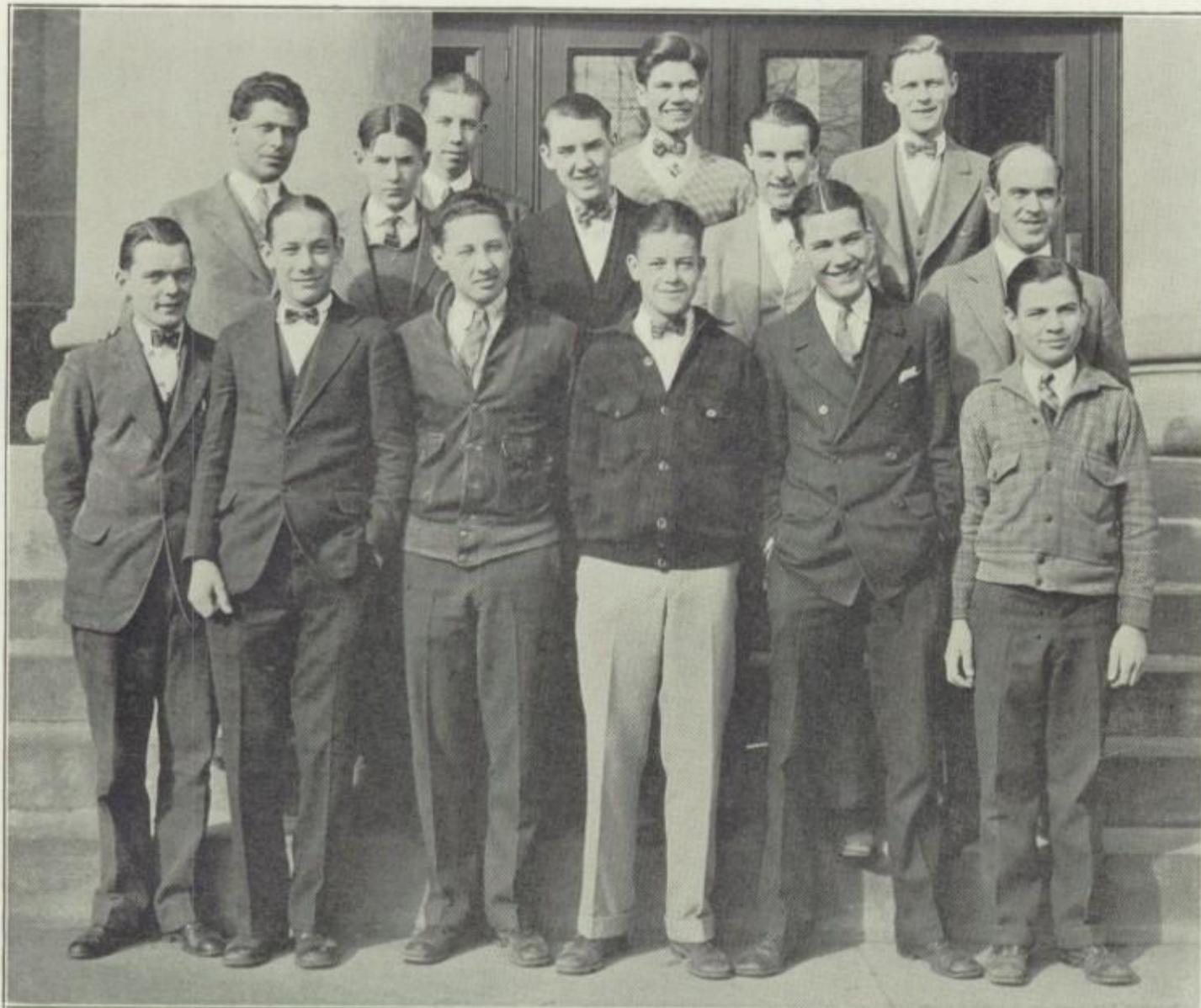
1ST SEMESTER	Science and Math Club	2ND SEMESTER
SEVERIN LANGHOFF.....	<i>President</i>	SEVERIN LANGHOFF
HAROLD COMSTOCK.....	<i>Vice-President</i>	HAROLD COMSTOCK
ARLEEN MELVIN.....	<i>Secretary</i>	GEORGE COMSTOCK
GEO. McMURRY.....	<i>Treasurer</i>	DON MORRIS

The Science and Mathematics Club while not large in number is one of the worth while organizations of Peoria High School. Its membership is made up of those students who have an earnest and active interest in science, pure and applied.

Bi-weekly meetings are held, at which students, members of the faculty, and outside speakers give talks on subjects of scientific and mathematical nature.

The Radio group of the Science Club meets frequently to study and discuss radio problems. A code class has been organized and soon the group will be able to boast of several licensed operators. An experimental receiving set was made by the boys. At first it was dubbed the "White Elephant" but later developments resulted in a change of name.

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Stage Crew

MR. EPSTEIN *Adviser and Stage Manager*
ROBERT CONIGISKY *Student Manager*
DONALD REAGAN *Electrician*
EVERETT HULSEBUS *Assistant Electrician*

One cannot speak of our stage presentations of the past year without praising the work of Mr. Epstein and his crew. Much of the credit for the success of the work must be given to Mr. Epstein, and to "Bob" Conigisky, who was the stage manager. "Don" Reagan and Everett Hulsebus have done very good work in caring for the electrical work.

Other members of the crew are:

OSCAR LUNG
JAMES VAN CLEAVE
READER SCOTT
WILLIAM COOLEY

ROBERT OWEN
PAUL POTTKER
EDGAR RAINES

CURTIS ARMSTRONG
HAROLD EVANS
FRANK POCKLINGTON
HOWARD BASSETT

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Movie Crew

DON REAGAN.....	<i>Operator</i>
EVERETT HULSEBUS.....	<i>Assistant Operator</i>
READER SCOTT	<i>Assistant Operator</i>
HARRIS WATERMAN	<i>Advertising</i>
ALBERT LANDERS	<i>Tickets</i>
FRANK POCKLINGTON	<i>Tickets</i>
CLEON HAMMOND	<i>Organist</i>
ARTHUR L. EPSTEIN.....	<i>Faculty Manager</i>

It must be funny, to judge by the broad grins displayed by this group. What is it all about? Probably Mr. Epstein is explaining to the movie crew what happens when the film is put in upside down.

The showing of moving pictures has been thoroughly organized this year. In the past, the motion picture equipment was not used very often, but this year an interesting, instructive, and well organized schedule of movies was presented to the students and teachers of P. H. S. This was made possible through the efficient and well trained organization shown here. The manner of scheduling, advertising, and showing pictures can be compared favorably with many professional moving picture organizations.

A series of ten science movies was part of the year's program. These pictures were not only entertaining but were of decided educational value. The price of the science movies was five cents per show. In addition to these a series of five long feature movies were shown after school. The price of these was ten cents, but season tickets were sold for the entire series of fifteen pictures at fifty cents.

We are proud of the skillful manner in which all films were previewed, repaired when necessary, exhibited, and returned to the distributor in good order. Our amateur operators are professional in their efficiency and ability.



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1925-26 Movie Program

FEATURE MOVIES

Silas Marner
If I Were King
Adventure
The Beggar on Horseback
The Thundering Herd

SCIENCE MOVIES

The Ant Lion
Little People of the Sea
Plastigrams
Johanna—an Untrained Ape
The Eclipse of the Sun
Strange Caterpillars
Dexterity and Mimicry of Insects
Eccentricities of th Wasp and the Bee
Little People of the Garden
Wizardry of Wireless
Getting Acquainted with Bacteria
Unhooking the Hookworm
The Work of Rivers
The Spider
The Mosquito
The Butterfly
The Lady Bird

One of the pleasing features of all our movies was the organ accompaniment of "Con" Hammond. This made our shows more like the down-town theatres than ever. On those occasions when we were able to get "Hod" Hiatt at the piano, and "Con" to preside in the organ loft, the enthusiasm of the audience was great indeed.

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FIRST SEMESTER

HAROLD WILTZ.....

WALTER LEWKE.....

HARVEY KUNTZ.....

HI-Y

President..... HOWARD LANDIS

Vice-President..... WILLIAM MILES

Secretary..... EDGAR WARNER

Treasurer..... GEORGE McMURRAY

SECOND SEMESTER

President..... HOWARD LANDIS

Vice-President..... WILLIAM MILES

Secretary..... EDGAR WARNER

Treasurer..... GEORGE McMURRAY

The Hi-Y Club began its activities with an annual roundup held early in October. The officers, with six other fellows, formed the nucleus of this year's club, which grew to have an enrollment of about twenty-five.

During the Thanksgiving holidays Severin Langhoff, George McMurray, and Don Morris were sent to the State Older Boys' Conference at Champaign.

The Manual-Peoria Football Banquet, held in December in honor of the heroes who brought fame and glory to their schools, was sponsored by the Hi-Y Clubs of the two schools. Mr. Cromwell was the toastmaster, and "Stub" Muhl and Milt Olander, both of the University of Illinois, were the principal speakers. During the week of March 1st-5th, the annual 4C Campaign took place. On Wednesday of that week, Mr. Fisher spoke, expressing the purpose of the 4C Campaign. The final event of the year was the Carnival, an annual event. It was held May 14th.

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TRI-S

SENIOR

JEAN BROWN.....	<i>President.....</i>	BERNICE GRABOW
LUCILLE TRIEBEL.....	<i>Vice-President.....</i>	HELEN CHUSE
VIRGINIA SMITH.....	<i>Secretary.....</i>	MARY CHESSMAN
ELIZABETH DUNLOP.....	<i>Treasurer.....</i>	LUCILE McCLINTOCK

JUNIOR

Under the blue and white of their Girl Reserve banner, the Junior and Senior Tri-S Clubs have had a busy, happy year. A great deal has been accomplished by co-operation with Manual, Pekin, and other nearby schools in the World Fellowship and Valentine luncheons, "Down Petticoat Lane," and the Christmas vesper service. One of the purposes of the Girl Reserve has been to create an inter-school friendship. This, and every other project of the clubs have been loyally aided by Miss Morris and Miss Sankey, our advisers, and by our secretary Miss Ebaugh, Junior Tri-S has sailed on a voyage this year, and Senior Tri-S has followed a trail, guided by our Girl Reserve code to higher, finer things in life.

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Commercial Club

MILDRED LANE.....	<i>President</i>
ELIZABETH SPITLER.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
ORA REED.....	<i>Secretary</i>
LOUIE DAVIS.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
MELBA FRYE.....	<i>Club Reporter</i>
MISS ROBERTS, MISS WATSON.....	<i>Advisers</i>

The Commercial Club has now finished its third successful year. When the club was first organized it was small, but it has rapidly increased until it is one of the largest organizations in the school.

Last year the shorthand and typewriting teams entered contests at Manual, Macomb, Normal, and Springfield. In all the contests entered, Peoria High took sixteen first, nine seconds, two thirds, and two fourths. The senior typewriting team won the state championship, while the junior shorthand team placed second in the state. An inter-school contest was also held, and gold, silver, and bronze medals were awarded the winners of first, second and third places in junior and senior typewriting and junior and senior shorthand. At each monthly meeting awards for typewriting and shorthand are given.

The Commercial Club which mixes pleasure with its work, has sponsored several social affairs: in October, a kid party, in December, a Christmas party; in March, a card party; and in May a picnic. The crowning event of the year will be the banquet and dance which will be given May 28.



C. M. T. C.

The C. M. T. C. Club of Peoria High has arranged many plans for the summer camp of 1926. Last summer, with only five representatives of Peoria High's chapter attending Camp Custer, Michigan, fair recognition was gained in spite of small numbers. Homer Caldwell was a member of the all-state Illinois Football Team, and was corporal besides. Cleon Hammond was one of the six members of the Custer Fencing Team, and was also an actor in the Camp Custer Follies. Tom Blender was present for his second year in the cavalry. Mac Tobias and Cleon Hammond were the only soldiers to receive marksman medals from this chapter. A rather crude initiation for the first year men was serving as K. P., or Kitchen Police.

The membership of the Peoria chapter, which is open to any C. M. T. C. students, is comprised of Homer Caldwell, Tom Blender, Don Matthews, James Entwistle, Mac Tobias, Ben Miles, Cleon Hammond, and Ed Lewke. The recruits are Kermit Henkes and Howard Siegfried. The advisers are Mr. Herke and Mr. Cole.

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Fleur de Lys

FRANCES BOSTON *President*
 EMMA STRAWN *Vice-President*
 JOHN RADLEY *Secrétaire*
 GEORGE McMURRAY *Tresorier*
 Mlle. BUNCH, Mlle. BUSWELL, Mlle. MORRIS,
Conseillères

MEMBERS

BLANCHE BENTON
 JEAN BROWN
 LUTHER DEARBORN
 GERALDINE DAVIS
 MILDRED DRYDEN
 HELEN HAMILTON
 RICHARD HOYT
 BERNICE MILLER
 ESTHER MOHLER
 MARTHA M. PRICE
 HARRIET TODD
 JOSEPHINE SPANGLER
 WILLA JAMES
 LORENE LAWSON

CECIL TOWELL
 ROBERT WEAD
 VIVIAN ALLAN
 ELEANOR JACK
 HELEN STRUBHAR
 JACK BONTJES
 FRANCES BOSTON
 RUTH CAMPBELL
 SYBIL COLE
 ANNE CUTTER
 HELEN DUNN
 EVELYN FOLLIOTT
 GILBERT HARRIS
 LOUISE MCCORMICK

JANE McDUGAL
 JOHN RADLEY
 MARJORIE LUCAS
 WALTER BERKMAN
 CLEON HAMMOND
 ARLEEN MELVIN
 JOSEPHINE CAPPEL
 DOROTHY FRIEDMAN
 WILLIAM MILES
 THELMA EWALT
 ELEANOR HOFER
 RUTH JOHNSON
 SEVERIN LANGHOFF
 DOROTHY LEE

BERYL LONG
 MARY MERK
 EVELYN NICHOLS
 HELEN SNIDER
 ZILLA STICKLEY
 EMMA STRAWN
 DOROTHY STUBER
 NAOLA SULZBERGER
 ELEANOR WADE
 JANET FRANKEL
 MIRIAM HIRSCH
 GILLETTE HEWITT
 GEORGE McMURRAY
 ROSE WEINSTEIN

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G. A. A.

CLARA BROWN.....	<i>President</i>
ANNA GIMMING.....	<i>Vice-President</i>
VONNA WEAVER.....	<i>Secretary</i>
EDITH SHAW.....	<i>Treasurer</i>
MISS CORA M. BALDAUF.....	<i>Adviser</i>

The progressive work of the Girls' Atheltic Association this year started out with a Halloween party in the girls' gymnasium on November third. All new members were initiated at this time. November twentieth brought a very entertaining roller-skating party. At the Christmas party on December seventeenth, everyone received a small gift and a candy cane.

Practice for the inter-class volleyball tournament began after the initiation. The Freshmen were the winners.

Eight teams contested in a basketball tournament, in which the Purple team won the greatest number of games. The girls of this team were rewarded with emblems on April 14 at a meeting of the G. A. A.

The tennis tournament, postponed last fall, is to be held this spring. The girls have also taken many Saturday morning hikes.

On April twenty-third, the G. A. A. and gym classes sponsored an exhibit in the boys' gymnasium. Dances and apparatus work were the main features of this program.

There were three sweaters, six letters, and eight pins given away in 1925-26. Just as this year has been a very profitable and enjoyable one, we all sincerely hope that next year will be even more so.

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Student Prefects

RICHARD HOYT.....*Retiring Chief*
CLEON HAMMOND.....*Incoming Chief*

The seemingly impossible has been accomplished. Student government has made its appearance and met with success wherever it has gone.

Three years ago an organization known as the Student Police came into existence. The duty of this organization was to keep the corridors free from idlers. Later on a good system of ushering for performances in our auditorium was installed by this body. Further steps along this line proved so successful that now even the study-halls are governed by the students.

At the first of this year it was decided to change the name Student Police to Student Prefects, the leaders of the student body. Dick Hoyt was appointed Chief Prefect, and his untiring efforts have had a great deal to do with the success of the organization.

The Council has been called Mr. Cromwell's right hand. If this is so, then the Student Prefects are the fingers of his right hand.

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Peters

Bontjes

Dearborn

Debating Club

SEYMOUR STOWE.....*President*
IOLA CLAYPOOL.....*Secretary and Publicity Manager*
JOHN RADLEY.....*Treasurer*
MR. DAILY.....*Advisor*

This year the debating club has been very successful, in that it has been loyally supported by the student body which has taken a live interest in debating and the debating club.

The debating teams have suffered reverses although through no fault of their own. They lost both to Manual and to Lincoln.

The question for the school debate was the subject of an independent air force with a secretary in the Presidents' cabinet. The negative of the question was taken by Iola Claypool, Evelyn Folliot, and Genevieve Alloy. The affirmative was taken by Keith Peters, Luther Dearborn, and Jack Bontjes.



Alloy

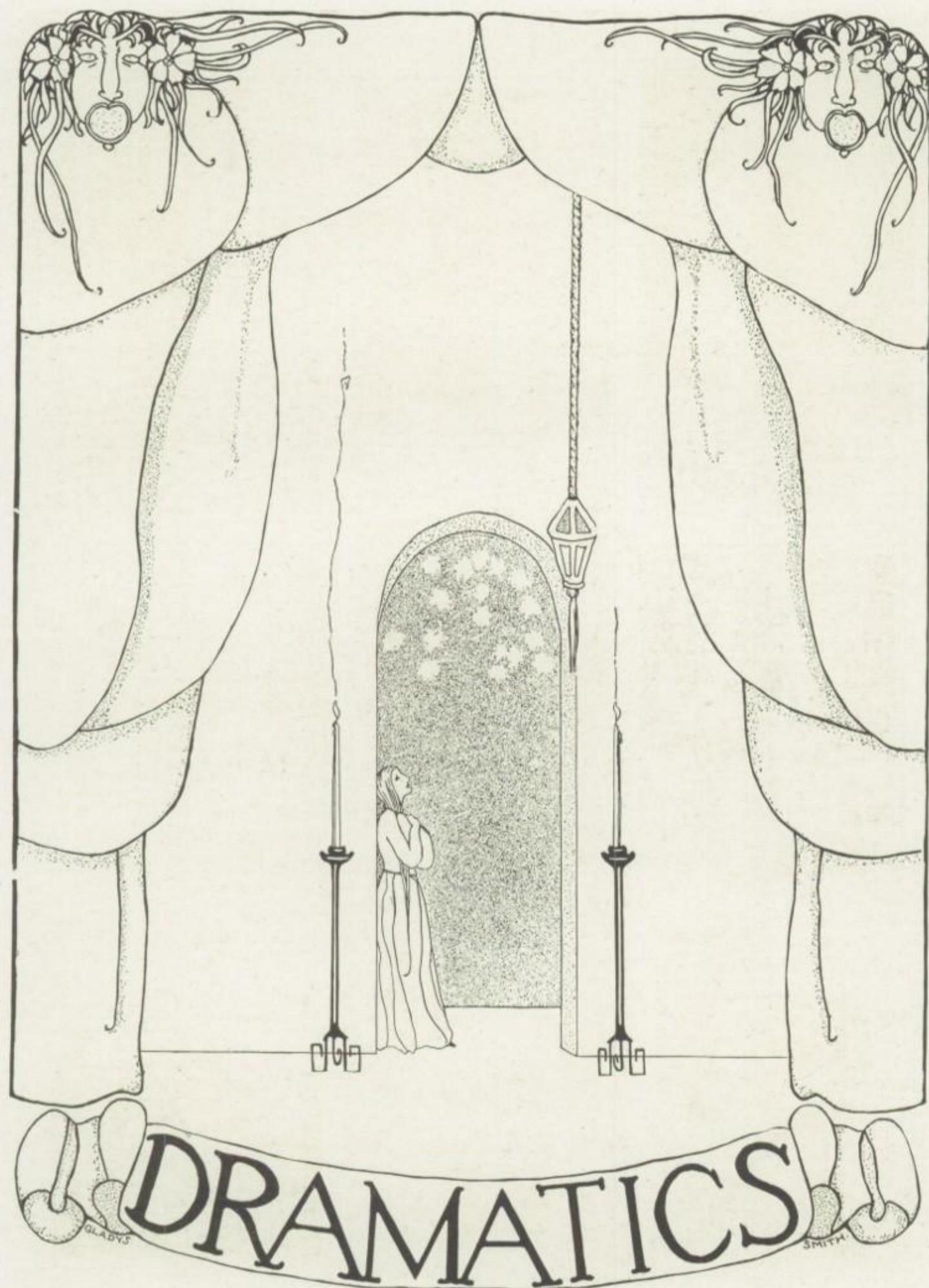
Folliot

Claypool

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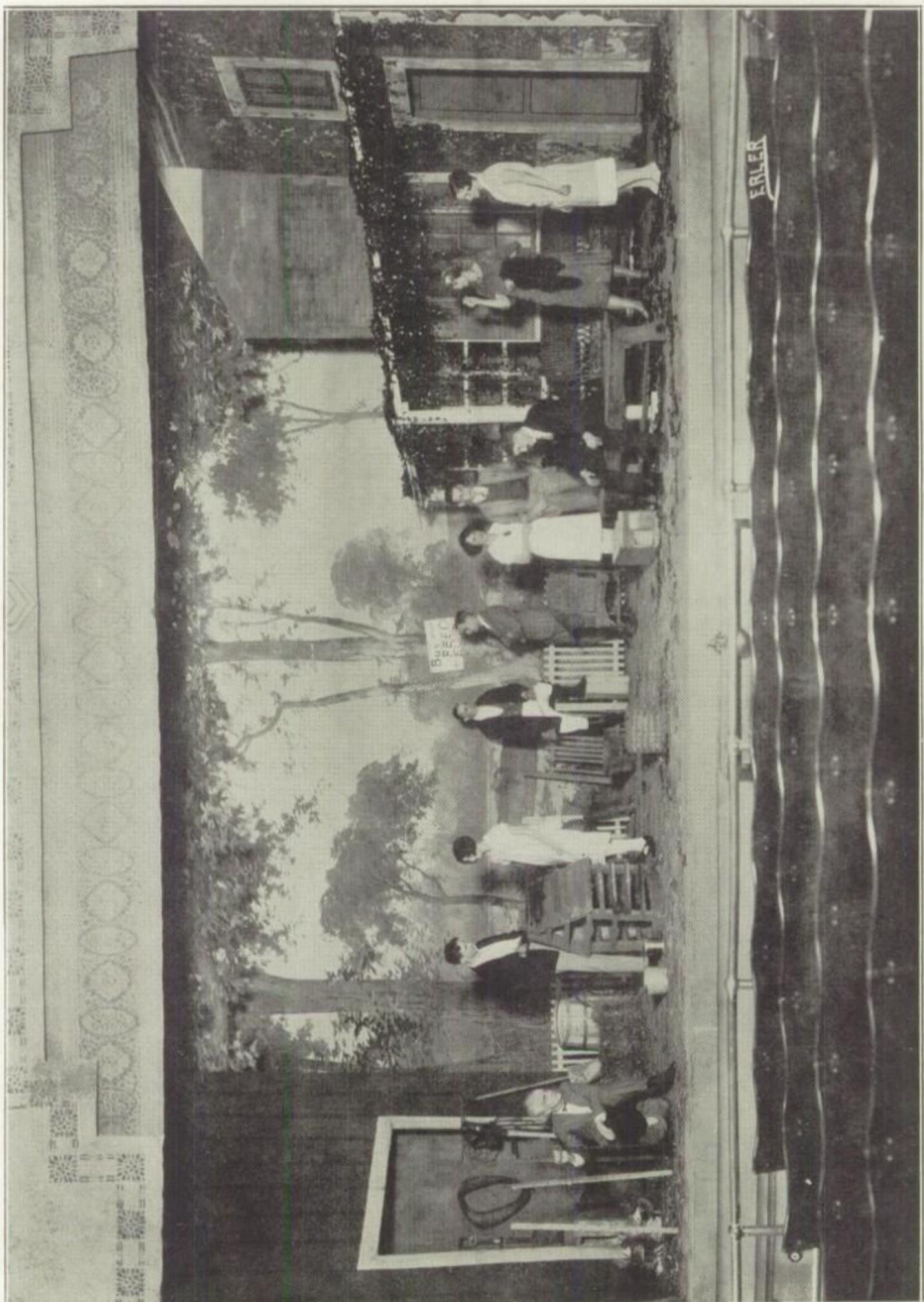


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Kuntz

Brown

Sulzberger Sedgwick Dearborn Jackson Ball Bryan

Maleham McDougal

Kuntz

Adam and Eva

"Adam and Eva" was the class play presented by the class of '26. Friday evening, November 13. Although the date was unlucky for the production, it did not seem to bother the class any, for the play was put on with no slip or mishap to mar the evenings' entertainment.

The cast is as follows:

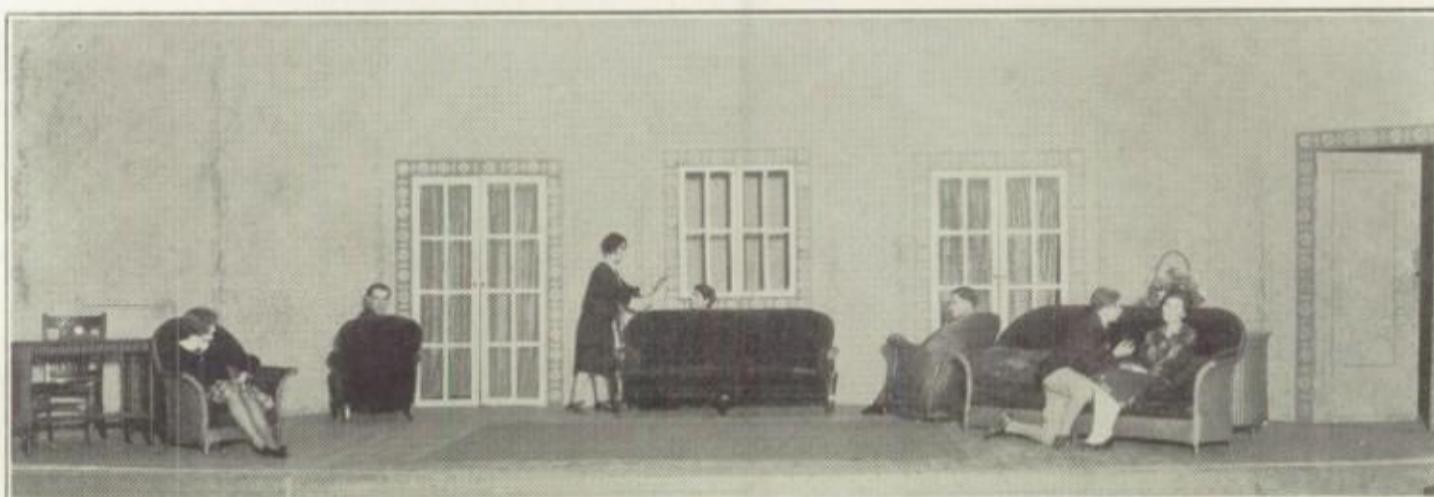
James King, a rich man.....	GORDON BRYAN
Corinthia, a parlor maid.....	JANE McDUGAL
Julie De Witt, his eldest daughter	MARJORIE JACKSON
Clinton De Witt, his son-in-law.....	LIONEL BALL
Eva King, his youngest daughter	NAOLA SULZBERGER
Aunt Abby Rocker, his sister-in-law,	EVELYN MALEHAM
Dr. Jack Delamater, his neighbor	LUTHER DEARBORN
Horace Pilgrim, his uncle.....	HARVEY KUNTZ
Adam Smith, his business manager,	HOWARD BROWN
Lord Andrew Gordon, his would-be-son-in-law,	HOWARD SEDGWICK

The play was a three act comedy, telling of the trials and tribulations which come to a man who has two young daughters, a worthless son-in-law and an uncle to support. Distracted by bills, he turns the whole family over to his business manager, and Adam starts out to manage a family. Thus the play.

A big feature of the production was the third act, an exterior, which showed a farm, with chickens and barn, and all. This was due largely to the stage management of Mr. Epstein, and his able band of co-workers.

The play was a feather in the cap of the class of '26, and was made so by the able coaching of Miss Stuntz.

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Dunlop Hulsebus

Buck Crawshaw

Mayer Ireland Ewert

Trysting Place

Booth Tarkington's "The Trysting Place" was Jusendra's first afternoon production of the year. Fred Crawshaw, Ruth Buck, Elvira Ewert, Elizabeth Dunlop, Clifford Ireland, and Everett Hulsebus were the members of this cast.

The play was a farce, with all the customary hasty explanations, hurried exits, and ludicrous situations. The play took place in a supposedly quiet hotel lobby, but for some reason or other, the plot of the play refused to keep the lobby quiet, and through the able efforts of the actors, the audience was not quiet either, their outbursts ranging all the way from titters and giggles to loud and hearty guffaws.

Miss Cornelius was the coach, and this was her first play at Peoria High School since her coming this year.



Morris Kayser

Parker Frankel Buck Kreiter Spitler

Stichl

Fiat Lux

The December Jusendra production consisted of two plays presented on Friday afternoon, December 18. The first play was "Fiat Lux," coached by Miss Newell. The cast consisted of Don Morris, Francis Keyser, Helen Stiehl, and George Parker. The singers for the play were Ruth Buck, Faye Gehlert, Rose Weinstein, Janet Frankel, Lewis Bartley, Otto Kreiter, Everett Hulsebus, Howard Sedgwick.

The play was not in a comic vein, and showed how the light of realization of the Christmas spirit came to an old man whose ideas of life and the world were perverted.

The outstanding feature of the whole play was its remarkable reception. Not a murmur, not a giggle was heard during the whole production, thus enabling the actors to play their roles to the peak of perfection.

Enter the Hero

The second play, "Enter the Hero," also introduced some new actors to the Peoria High School stage. The play was presented in a very comical manner, and left the audience with a smile at the final curtain. The whole plot centered around a girl who was in love with love, and took it out on a poor unsuspecting young man who had been in Brazil for two years. As usual in comedies, complicated situations arose.

Mary Nachman, Evelyn Bosenbury, Paul Pottker, and Iola Claypool made up the cast, which was coached by Miss Stuntz.



Claypool

Bosenbury Nachman Pottker

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POTTKER VAN CLEAVE

LUNG BEST
EVANS

SIMPSON
LEWKE

POCKLINGTON

"A NIGHT AT AN INN"

Again Jusendra offered something different in the production of Lord Dunsany's "A Night at an Inn" on March 2. The play centers around a large ruby, stolen by thieves from the idol of Klesh, and the efforts of the priests to recover it. The audience received it with inevitable shrieks, as a door would open in the dark or a hand appear at a window.

The play was coached by Miss Cornelius, and the cast consisted of Walter Lewke, James Van Cleave, Frank Pocklington, Paul Pottker, Harold Evans, Paul Best, Richard Simpson, and Oscar Lung.

"THE OBSTINATE FAMILY"

To relieve the tenseness caused by the first play, the comedy, "The Obstinate Family" followed. It shows the natural perverseness of women, and the natural obstinacy of men. An outstanding feature in this play was the pantomime of Fred Meigs and Gertrude Hayes as the butler and maid.

Mr. Burns coached the play and the cast was made up of Merton Fuller, Blanche Benton, Cleon Hammond, Jean Brown, Fred Meigs, and Gertrude Hayes.



HAMMOND—BROWN

MEIGS—HAYES

BENTON—FULLER



French Toyshop

The modern language department contributed its share towards Peoria High School's dramatics when they presented "In a French Toyshop" on March 29. This skit was written by Georgette Werner, a French student, who directed and staged it. The cast was composed of Miss Buswell's first hour junior class. The action centered around the antics and performances of the toys for the customers who came to purchase them.

Maraine de la Guerre

The second play on this program was "Marraine de la Guerre" (The War God-Mother), a one-act play with a charming love story. The entire play was in French, and concerned the arrival of an American doughboy, who has been corresponding with a French girl whom he supposed to be very old. Naturally complications result, as they will in all good comedies.

The play was coached by Miss Bunch, and the cast included Eleanor Jack, Katherine Jamison, Harriet Todd, Noala Salzberger, and Dick Hoyt. Martha Price gave the explanation in English before the curtain.





The Admirable Crichton

"The Admirable Chrichton," presented Friday evening, May the seventh was Jusendra's evening production and supreme achievement of this year.

The novel scenic effects, especially the exterior scenes on the desert island, were accomplished by the combined art and industry of Miss Newell, faculty sponsor of Jusendra, Mr. Epstein, stage manager, and Miss Mahoney who helped design and paint them. They were aided by Helen Butler and her efficient property committee.

The cast was as follows:

Crichton.....	GUS SHAFER
Lord Loam.....	FRED CRAWSHAW
Ernest.....	DON MORRIS
Rev. John Treherne.....	DALE PHALEN
Lord Brocklehurst.....	JOHN RADLEY
Lady Mary.....	EVELYN FOLLIOTT
Catherine.....	VERNA HAMMEL
Agatha.....	ELEANOR JACK
Tweeny.....	GERTRUDE HAYES

Servants and others: Eleanor Wade, Genevieve Alloy, Don Reagan, Edgar Walker, Charles Shaver, Dick Simpson, Jack Mohler, Mack Tobias, Howard Dunker, Cecil Royalty, Helen Willard, Gladys Moberly, James Wahlfeld, George McMurray, Harris Watermann, Elvira Ewert, Harriet Todd.

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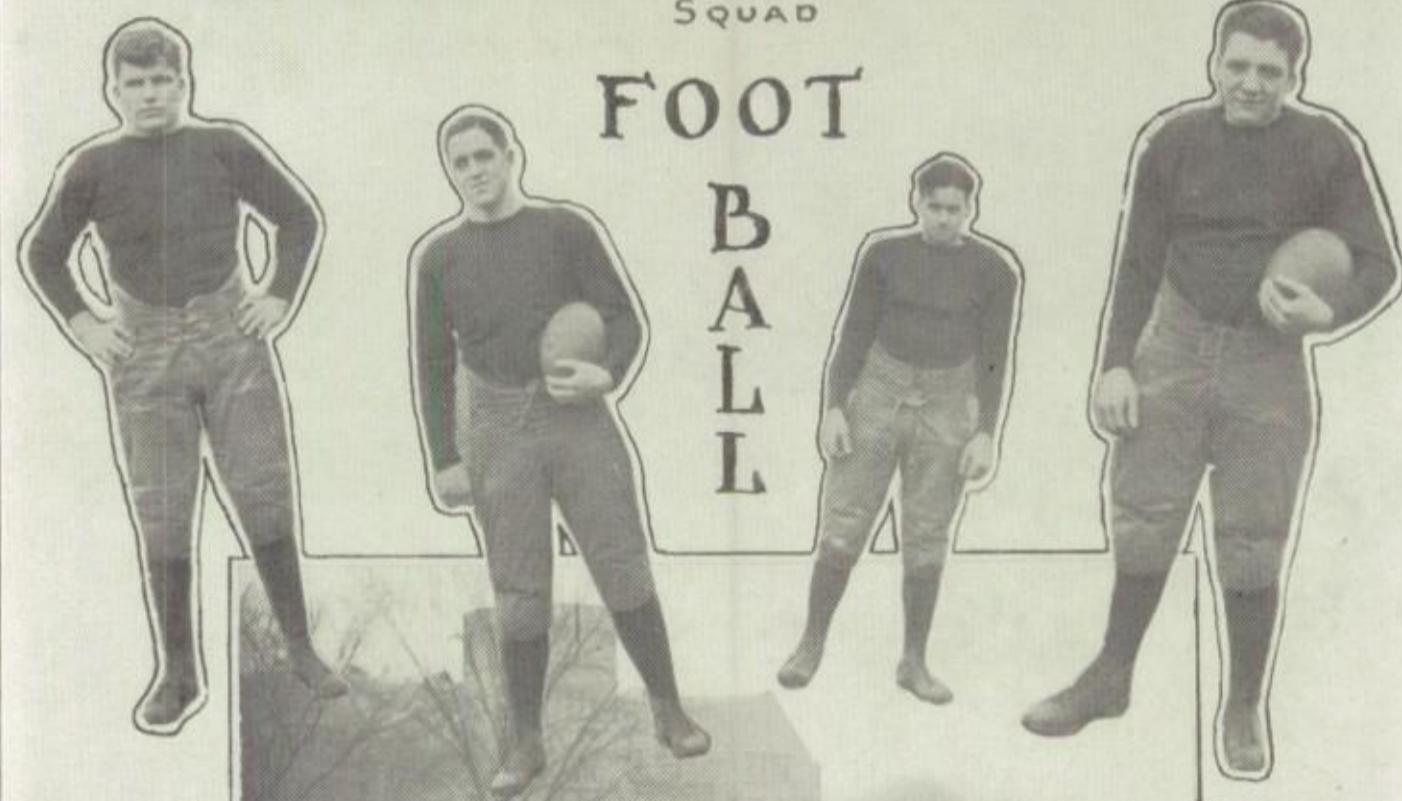
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THANKSGIVING DAY

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SALEN HERKE

Director of Athletics and Physical Education

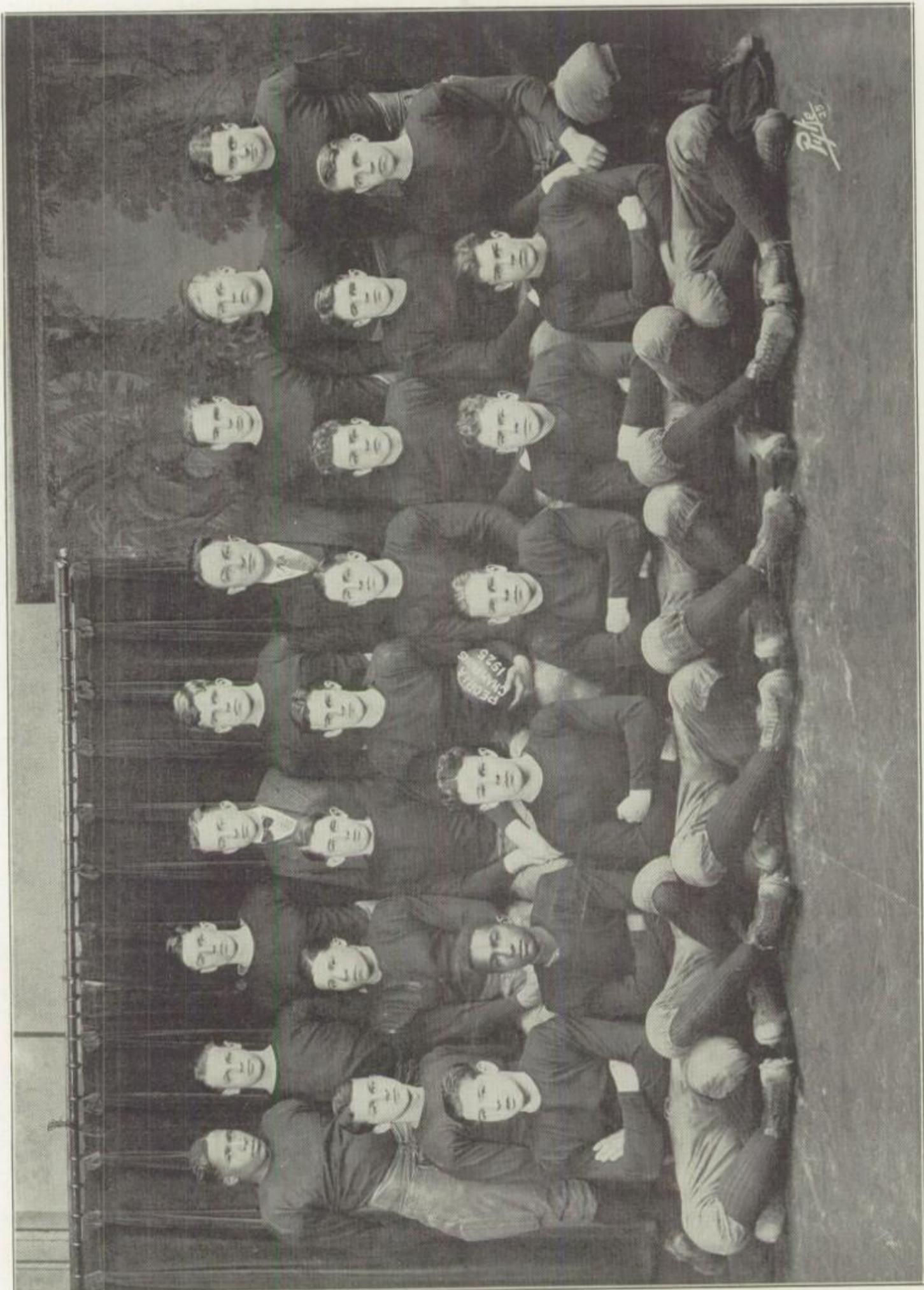
Completing this, his tenth year as director of athletics in Peoria High School, Salen Herke has established a reputation for developing the highest type of athlete and varsity teams.

This year Central has seen another one of her successful years in athletics under "Doc." He has brought added honors to both himself and the school. He is well known throughout the middle west and highly respected as one who is a fitting example for a high school athlete, a coach who can produce a winning team from poor material, and as one who teaches the player to fight clean and hard in victory or defeat.

SEASON'S REVIEW

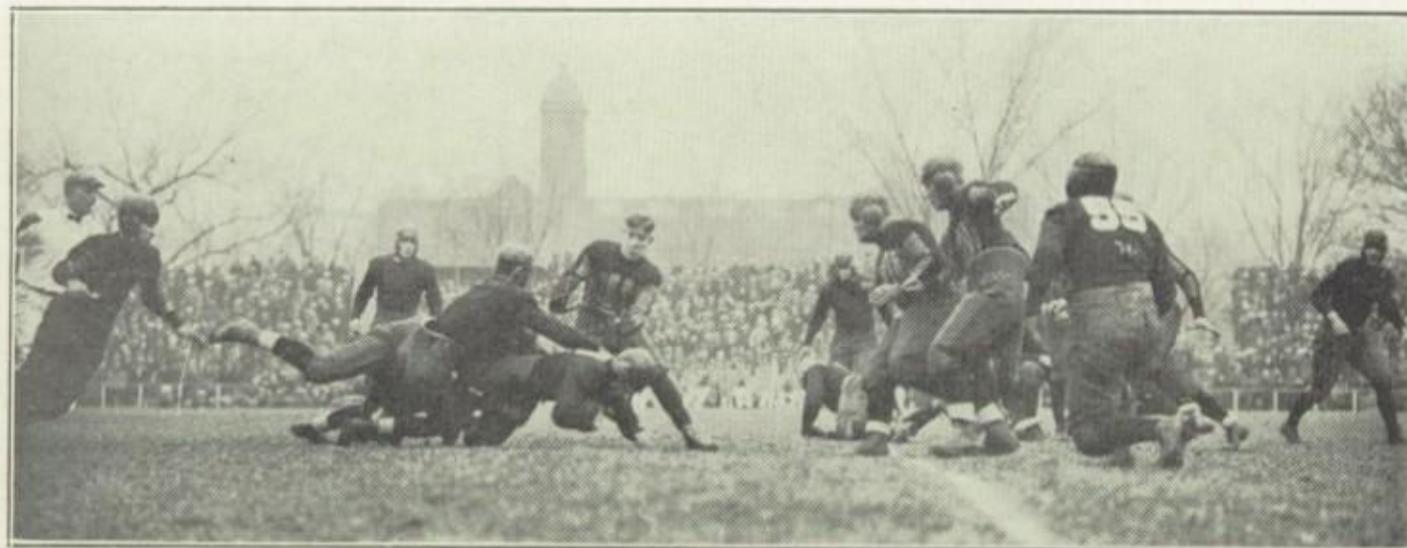
The record of the 1925 football season, although not as outstanding as last year, shows Herke's crew again carried Peoria High School to one of the foremost positions in the state. Prospects were bright from the outset when the largest number of candidates ever to report turned out to fight hard for a position. Of these 65 willing and hardworking candidates 8 were letter men from 1924. Herke, with these players as a nucleus, brought the maroons through a nine game schedule, victors in 7, tieing in one, and losing the other.

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MANUAL GAME

Season's Results

Central..34	Austin (Chicago) o	Central.. o	Rock Island..... o
Central..25	Bloomington.... o	Central.. 8	Moline..... 3
Central..55	Decatur..... o	Central..20	Spalding..... 7
Central..22	Jacksonville.... o	Central.. 3	Springfield..... 8
	Central..14	Manual..... 7	

AUSTIN—Here

Austin High of Chicago was the first scalp of the season. In this game Peoria played in championship style, and overwhelmed the highly touted team, 34-0. The end-runs, so characteristic of Central's teams, proved to be the undoing of the Northerners.

BLOOMINGTON—There

The weatherman had a grouch on to greet the band of rooters that followed the team in the first battle on foreign soil. Playing in a down-pour of sleet and rain Central's line held the Bloomers scoreless while Quick's line bucking and Moody's long runs with machine-like interference ran up 25 points. The muddy field kept the maroons from piling up a much larger score.

DECATUR—Swamped

Coming with high hopes for a victory, Decatur was humiliated 55-0. Every Centralite had revenge in his heart, and no army could have stopped them in this game. Displaying a beautifully well-timed machine, their onslaught made Decatur dizzy.

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RALPH BUERKE—*Quarter*

Playing his third year, Captain Buerke directed his team from quarter. Ralph's passes will long be remembered.

ROBERT GEDDES—*Center*

"Fighting Bob's" motto was, "If beef won't do it, brains will," and his theory worked to perfection. This was Bob's third year, and he was the mainstay of the team, always keeping the spirit high. The best center ever to graduate from Peoria High.

HOMER CALDWELL—*Guard*

A mighty wall and a menace to every team. Homer's three years of stellar work have placed him in P. H. S.'s Hall of Fame.

JACK QUICK—*Fullback*

"Red" was the drive of the offence, always good for several yards through the toughest line. The only thing Jasper didn't know was when to quit. He is the best fullback P. H. S. has had.

JACKSONVILLE—Licked

Failing in the attempt to score at least once in four years against Central, Jacksonville went home stinging from a 22-0 defeat. Geddes in the line played a masterful defense. Houston displayed for the first time his great open field running by streaking down the field for long gains. Peoria's goal line has not been crossed this season, thus proving her great defensive strength.

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ALLEN NAFFZIGER—*Guard*

This year "Al" stepped out and won a permanent berth on the team. His great strength made him a bulwark in the line.

RICHARD MOODY—*Halfback*

"Dick" was a flash when once in the open, and spectacular runs were his specialty. The vacancy made by his graduation will be hard to fill.

ROBERT GREENE—*End*

"Bob" stepped into a difficult position and proved himself capable of filling it. A pass to him was always counted on. His deadly tackles will make him very valuable next fall.

FRANK BELSLEY—*End*

"Bells" came through with a loud clang this year, using his weight to great advantage. When opponents hit him they gave up in despair.

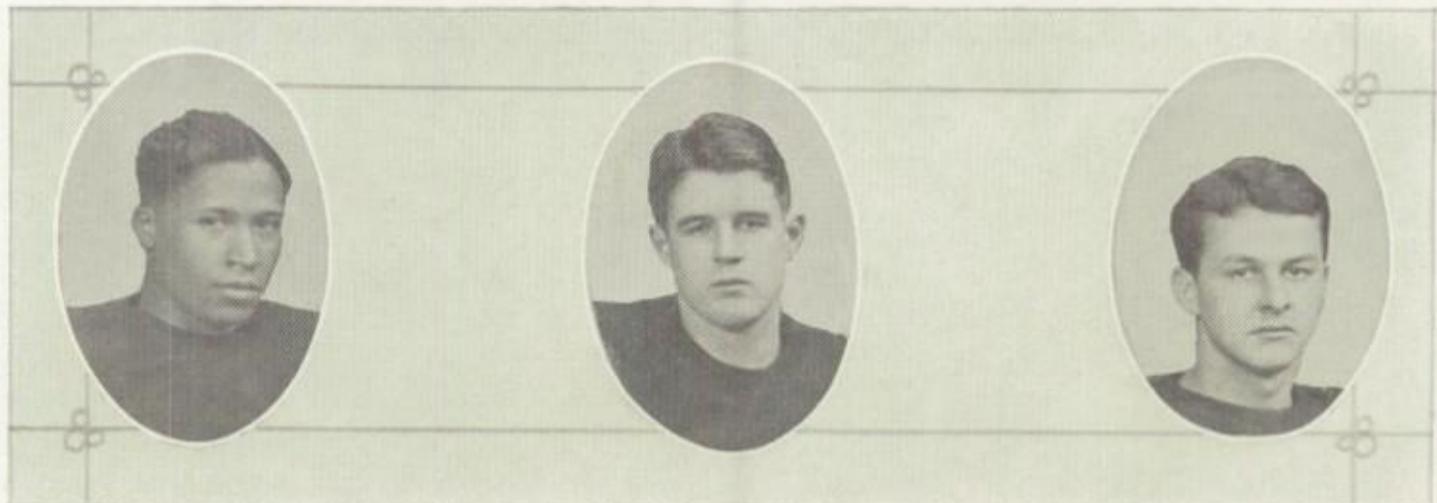
ROCK ISLAND BATTLE

Playing in a sea of mud, Peoria's flashy offense was unable to function. Although four times within scoring distance, and completely outplaying the Islanders the final punch to put it across was not there and the game ended in a tie. Again the line held well with the brunt of the offense left to Quick and Moody, as Houston was hurt early in the game.

MOLINE

Splashing through water and mud to an 8-3 win over Moline, Central won her 5th victory of the season. Although being scored on for the first time, the Maroons still kept the goal uncrossed. Moody, circling the end, scored Peoria's touchdown; while Caldwell downed an olive-jerseyed player behind the goal, scoring 2 points more.

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CALVIN MOODY—

“Cal” has a way of his own of being master of the situation. Always with that determined zeal, he was a stumbling block to many an enemy.

MARSHALL ALLEN—*Guard*

“Marsh” had the weight and natural ability to earn a letter in his freshman year. Many an opponents attack through him ended in grief.

GEORGE CARTER—*Tackle*

Coming as an out of town player in his senior year, George immediately stepped into the front ranks. He made it tough going over his side of the line.

SPALDING

Playing in her first intra-city game of the year, Central was slow to get away during the first half. Odds stood against us, when, at the end of the first half the “Irish” boasted a 7-0 lead. This seemed to awaken the spirit of the fighting maroons,” for with determination and a smashing drive in the third quarter it was evident that Central was not to be denied. Crossing the Purple’s line twice, Quick pulled the game out of danger. Mathews, at end, covered two Irish fumbles that later led to touchdowns. The whole line, with Geddes playing up to his usual high standard, deserve much of the credit for this real fighting spirit.

SPRINGFIELD

The mighty maroons for the only time this year went down in defeat. Again mud played a big part in making flashy work by the offense impossible. Geddes again played a stellar game with Caldwell doing fine work. Fumbles, passes, and punts were going wild and it was almost anybody’s game until the whistle blew, which ended 3-8.

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RUSSEL PAGE—*End*

"Ambitious" seems to be following in his brothers footsteps. He has that Page ability to slip through for a clean tackle.

CARL BOUTON—*Guard*

"Red" was the third freshman this year to earn a football letter. With more experience great things are looked for from this natural football player.

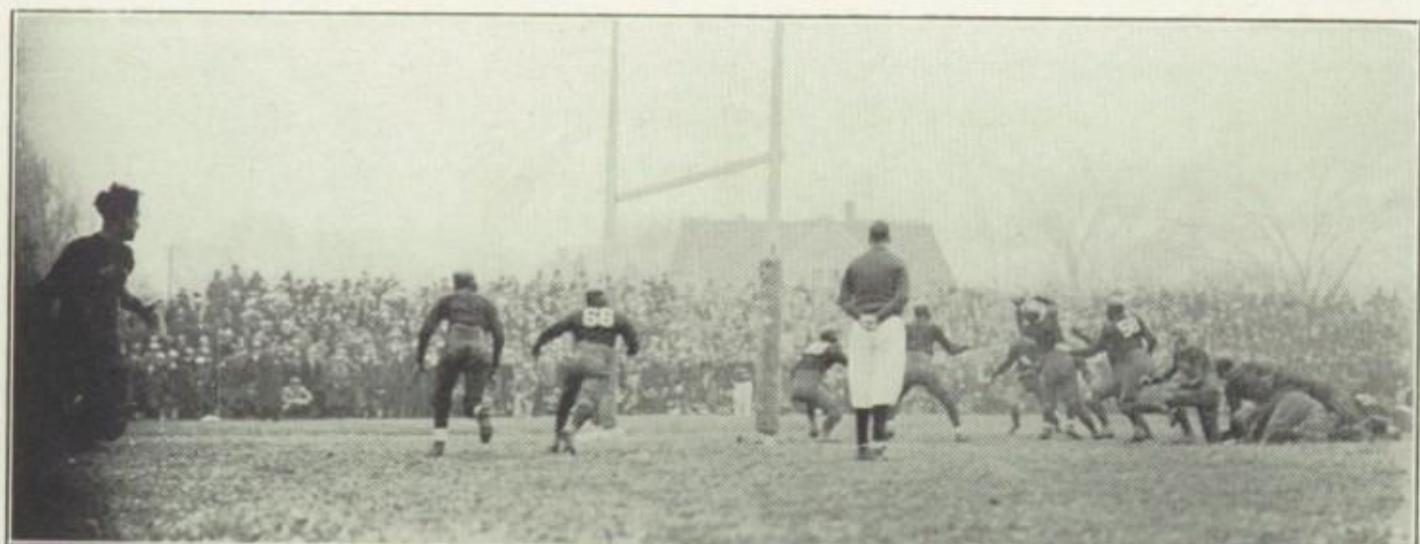
LORENZ TOWER—*Quarter*

Although not playing as a regular, Tower showed great prospect of becoming a star next year. His lack of experience at carrying the ball was his greatest handicap, for he directed the team and passed well.

THANKSGIVING VICTORY

So far undefeated this season, Manual made a stubborn fight to retain her record; however, Central's open field running and passes won over her ancient rivals 14-7, making ten consecutive Thanksgiving victories. Before the Orange and Black realized the game was underway a pass to Green and a buck by Moody put across the first touchdown. In the second quarter line plays and end runs marched the ball within scoring distance where Huston ended Central's scoring for the season by shooting across tackle.

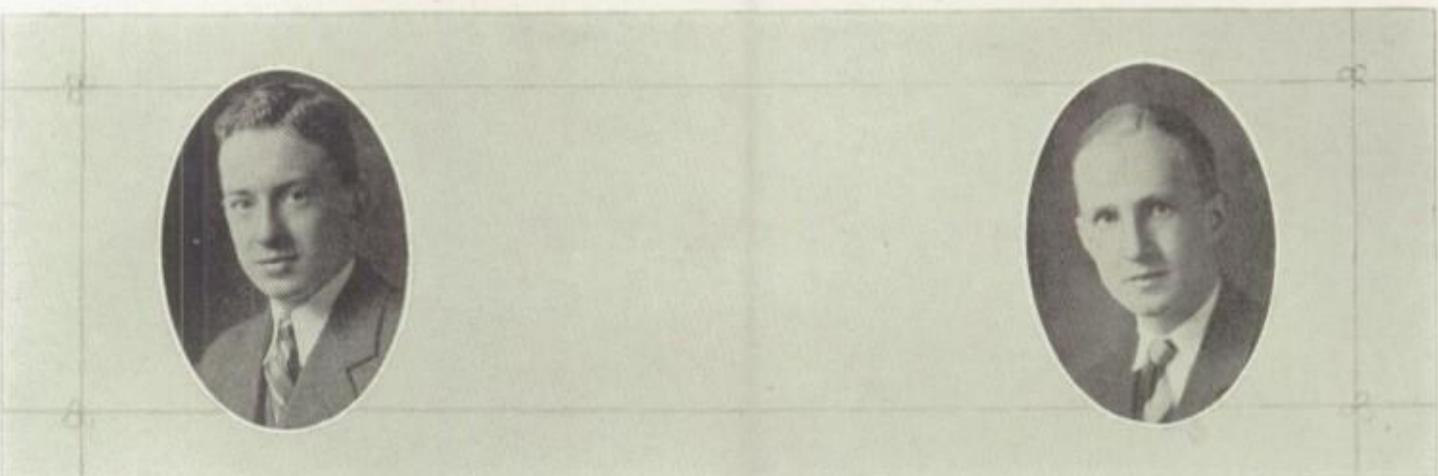
Manual came back strong, but the determination of the Maroons kept the colors flying, thus ending the season and winning the city championship.



MANUAL GAME

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JOHN HOWARD

STUDENT MANAGER

By conscientious effort, John Howard, the senior manager, carried the athletic association through a well managed and creditable year. Since Thanksgiving John has been acting as director in advertising and staging all home athletic contests, filling that position in an equally capable manner.

WILLIAM HARDIN

ASS'T MANAGER

The junior member, William Hardin, has served as a great help to John throughout the year and last Thanksgiving succeeded him as acting manager. With William Cooley, sophomore assistant, as the third member of the trio, the teams have been well taken care of, resulting in a well rounded year.

YELL LEADERS

In the absence of Kenneth Dean at most of the games, Albert Landers and Jack Elliot assumed the responsibility of leading the school in the yelling.

Dean was always assured of a hearty response in mass meeting and assemblies through the year, which aided greatly in keeping the interest high. Splendid co-operation was shown Landers, Elliott, and Adams.

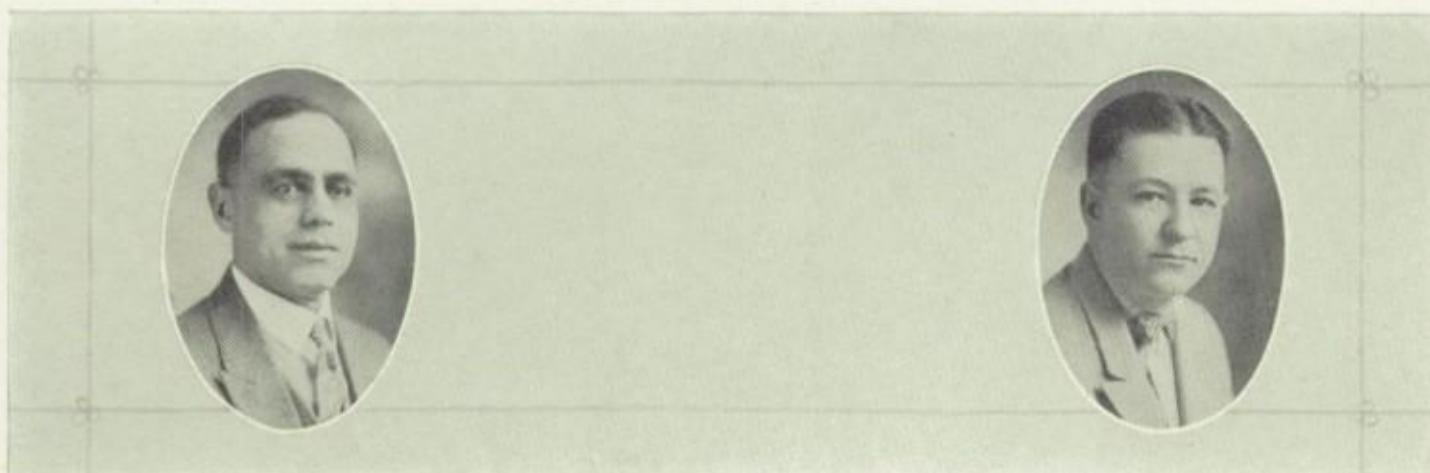


ALBERT LANDERS

JACK ELLIOTT

KENNETH DEAN

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WILLIAM CONWAY

TRAINER

Here is the second member of the famous Herke-Conway-Lohr triumvirate. "Bill" has been an important factor in the success of Peoria High School's athletics. For ten years he has watched our athletes grow with success and defeat and has accomplished almost everything in his line except to set a broken neck, which he has not had the opportunity of doing yet.

With his jovial and enviable good nature and ever-readiness to doctor every injury, "Bill" has become a great favorite as a doctor and speaker.

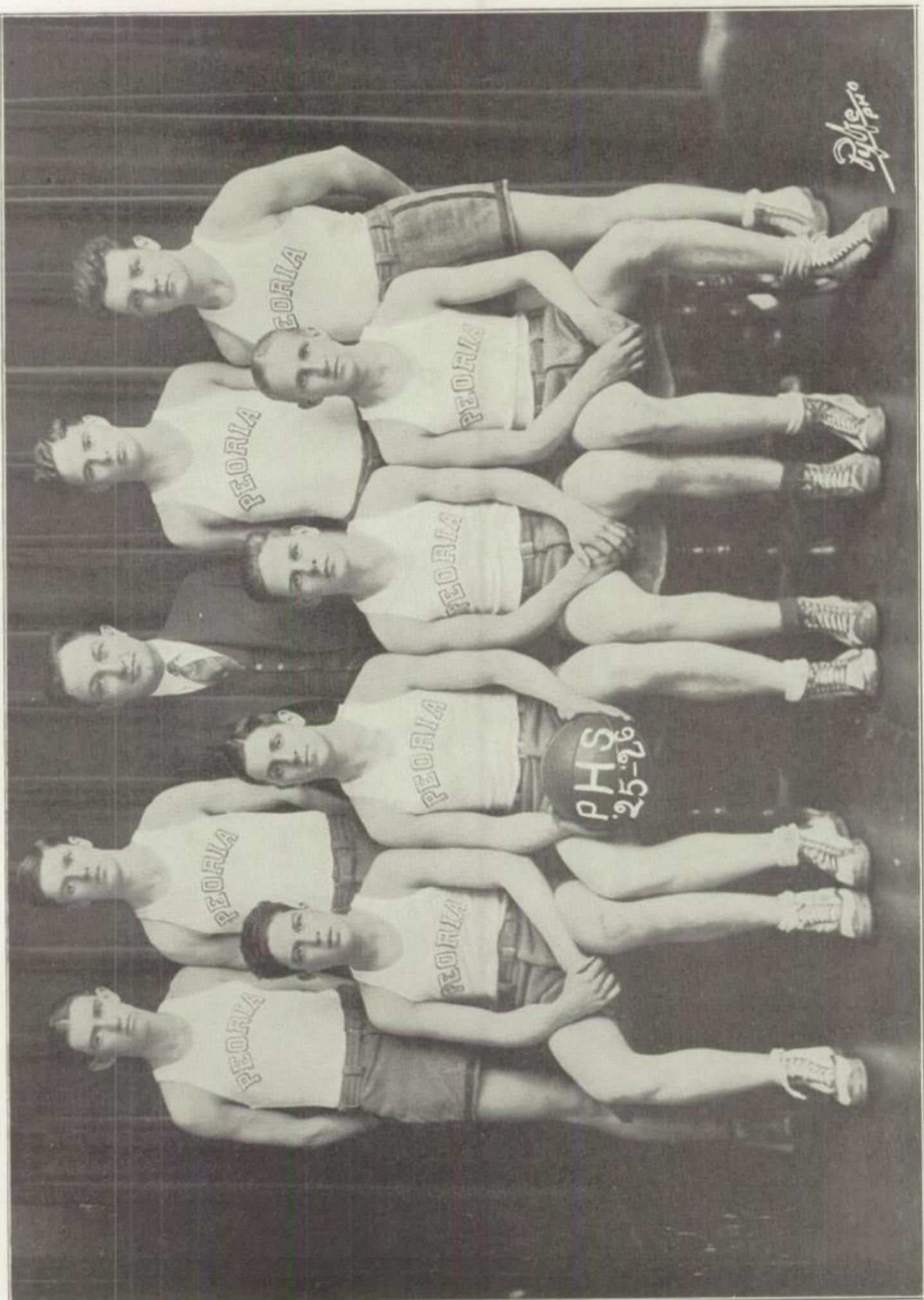
DONALD LOHR

DIRECTOR OF INTRA-MURAL SPORTS

This office and personage is a new addition to our athletic organization. The title is somewhat long for such a short person, but we must say that "Dutch" fulfills his duties most efficiently. "Prof.," who is an old P. H. S. grad, has taken a great deal of work off Herkes hands, giving him more time to develop varsity teams.

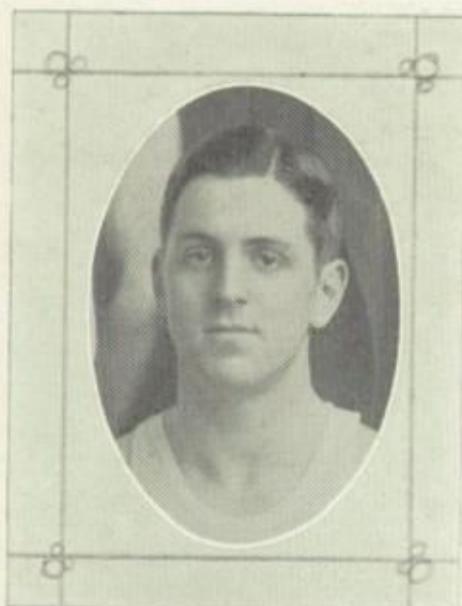
"Dutch's" efforts have been directly responsible for the high standard of all intra-mural sports, handling of the Greater Peoria Grade School Basketball Tournament, and developing of all varsity second teams. The presence of "Dutch" has been keenly felt and will be needed in years to come.

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ROBERT GEDDES—*Captain*

Playing his third and last year as guard on the maroon varsity, "Bob" acquired the seventh sense of knowing just when to go through with the offense and still be the backbone to the defense work. "Bob" was an able captain and only through fate was he kept off of many tournament teams.

Basketball Results

Central..75	Trivoli.....21	Central..40	Manual.....18
Central..81	Trivoli.....23	Central..30	Lincoln.....18
Central..22	Normal.....23	Central..46	Farmington.....12
Central..47	Pontiac..... 2	Central..22	Spalding.....12
Central..22	Bath-Lynchberg.38	Central..26	Melvin.....23
Central..36	Havana.....18	Central..21	Rantoul.....25
Central..23	U. High.....21 (2 overtimes)		(overtime)
Central..20	Canton.....10	Central..45	Anderson, Ind...36
Central..35	Bloomington....17	Central..18	Manual.....21
		Central..14	Spalding.....27

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JACK QUICK

The "Fireball" is without equal when drive and offensive strength are considered. He was a most difficult player to guard, being Central's high point man. "Red" captained last year's team and would also have placed on many tournament teams this year had Central been allowed to compete. This year ends "Red's" brilliant career.

ROBERT GREENE

"Bob" was a strong player in a pivot position. He possessed a good eye for the hoop and most always outjumped his opponent. He will no doubt be a strong factor in victories next year.

GEORGE SOPER

Displaying a remarkable eye for the most difficult shot, "Soap" earned a forward berth in his freshman year. He was a valuable asset to offensive work in spite of his slight build. A wonderful career lies ahead of "Soap" with three more years of competition.

Season's Review

From the outset, the '25-'26 basketball season was a very eventful one. Prospects stood for nothing short of victory in every game of a long schedule, for we had five men to use as a nucleus. The gradual unravelling of events began before the schedule started with the loss of a regular. Ninth semester closed the brilliant career of Quick, the offensive strength of the team. Then from a clear sky came the mid-season suspension from



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LORENZ TOWER

"Tower" is a steady, dependable guard. His playing was much improved over that of last year. With another year he should be a mainstay of the team.

RAY BUCK

In spite of his small stature, Ray feared no one and played a fast, dashing game. He deserves credit for stepping in with little experience. After two more years Ray should be a highly rated player.

JOHN GIMMING—*Forward*

"Farmer" saw action the later part of the season. His lanky build made him a hard man to cope with under the basket. He has a good eye and exhibits a fine brand of floorwoork. "Farmer" has two more years.

athletic competition which struck Central just when her prospects had brightened with a 45-36 victory over Anderson, Indiana. All this left the maroons no less highly regarded as strong competitors for any team; however, there was nothing left to do but take defeat with victory and allow the rest of the high schools to battle it out for the state's high honors.

The season opened with two decisive victories followed by a one-point defeat at Normal. The sailing was easy in the next nine games, with Central winning all nine battles. The three-game road trip to Indiana ended in two victories and one defeat. Returning home, the loss of Quick and suspension heavy on the players' minds, they succumbed to Manual and Spalding, ending the season in a tie for city championship.

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Pettett

C. Baumflek

Lung

Herke

Shaver

Landers

Butler

Cross Country Team

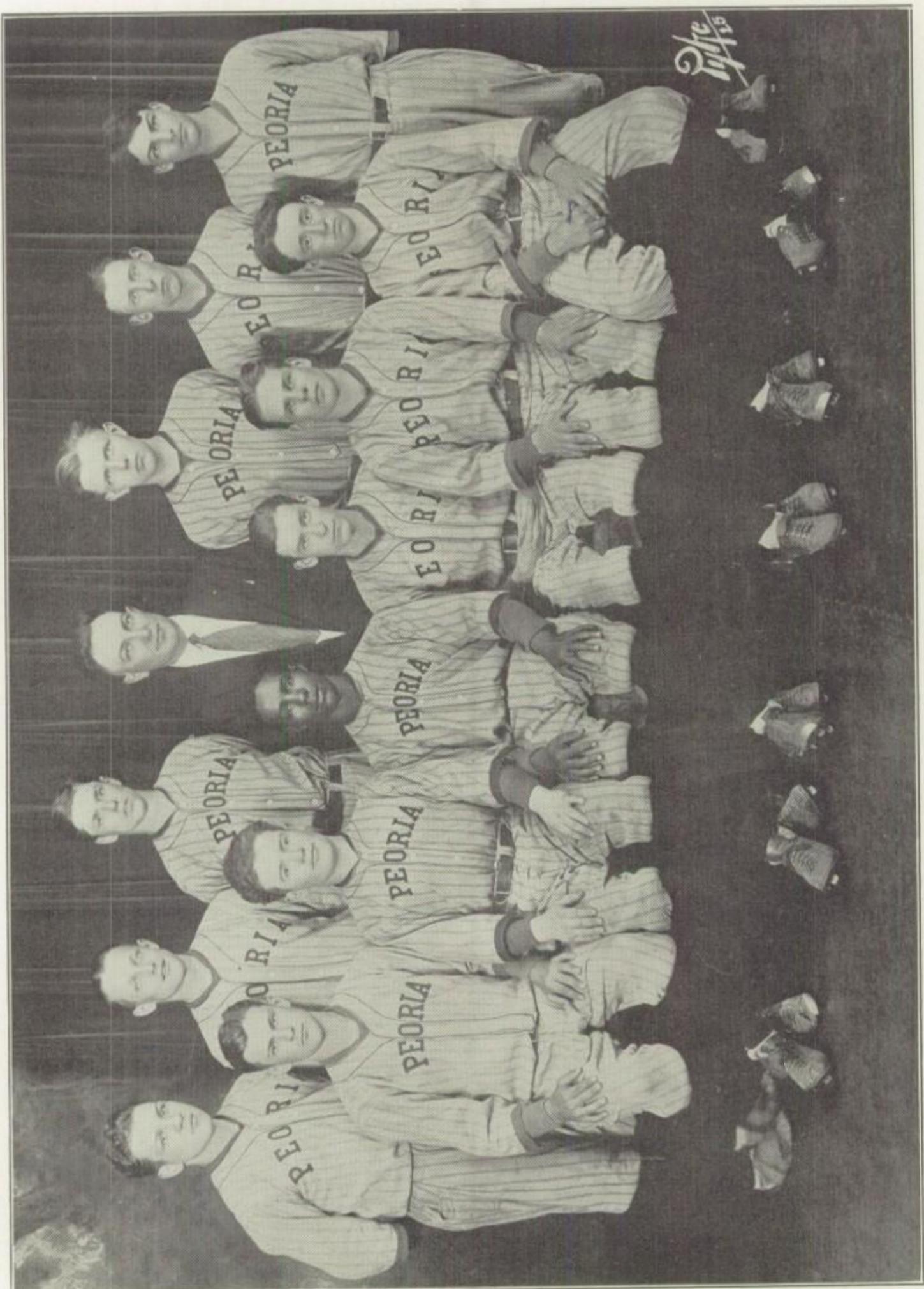
For the first time in the history of Peoria High School athletics, a cross country team represented the school. Having but one runner of experience, Charles Shaver, who coached the squad and acted as their captain, the boys made a good showing at the two meets entered.

In October, they journeyed to Iowa City, Iowa. Through the three inch snow which covered the ground, nearly two hundred men scrambled up and down the miniature mountains which composed the two-mile course. With Shaver finishing among the first ten, Pettett placing twentieth, and Butler, thirtieth, P. H. S. tied Rock Island; while on the same day, the maroon gridders tied those of Rock Island.

The next meet was at the University of Illinois in the Memorial Stadium, between halves the Champaign-Urbana game. Through a drizzling rain, over fifty athletes from ten schools ran over the ten-mile course. In this, Peoria placed third, with Shaver finishing second, Pettett, fourteenth, Landers, eighteenth, Baumflek, twenty-fifth, and Lung, twenty-sixth.

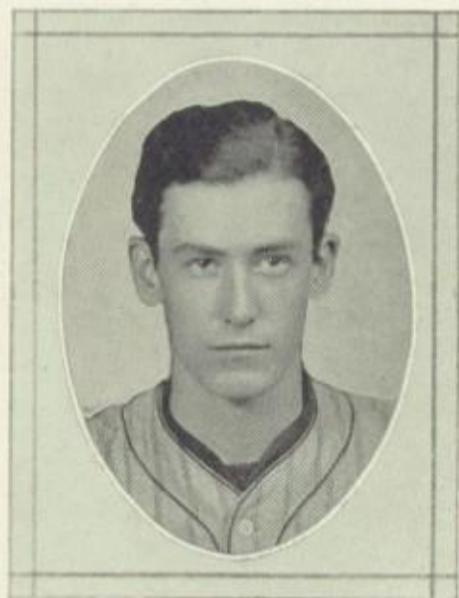
All the men on the squad were juniors this year so a winning team is expected next fall.

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ERNEST ROBERTS

Captain

Baseball

SEASON'S RESULTS—BASEBALL '25

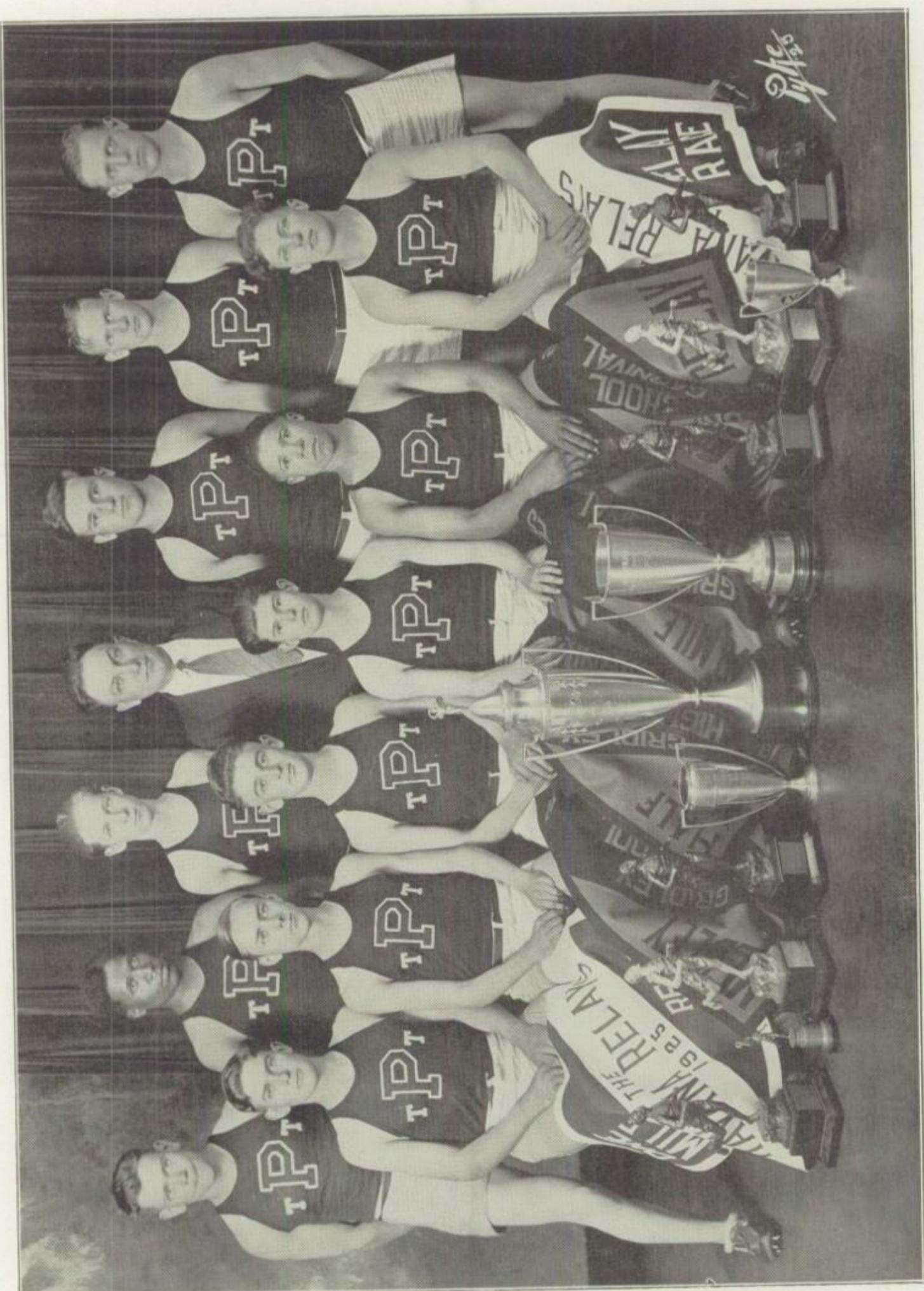
Central.... 3	El Paso..... 0
Central.... 19	Farmington..... 4
Central.... 6	Farmington..... 0
Central.... 1	Manual..... 2
Central.... 7	Spalding..... 10
Central.... 9	Streator..... 12
Central.... 10	Spalding..... 4
Central.... 7	Manual..... 3
Central.... 8	Streator..... 1
Central.... 10	El Paso..... 4

Won 7—Lost 3—Runs Central 80—Opponents 40

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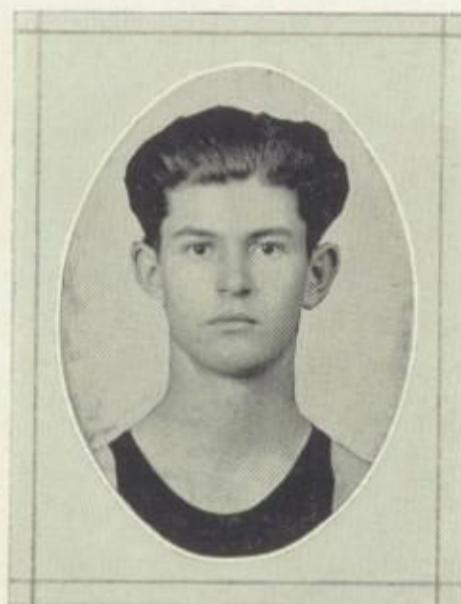
Captain Ernest Roberts, Ernest Page, Bernard Wilkens, Charles Fisher, Harold Furry, John Gimming, Jack Quick, Ralph Buerke, and Lorenz Tower.

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JOHNSON
Captain, 1925

Track Team Results

1. University of Illinois Indoor Relay Carnival.
Mile Relay. 3rd Place.
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody.
2. Northwestern University National Interscholastic Indoor Track Meet.
6th. Place. Total Points 8.
R. Moody—1st.—440 Time: :54 3/5
R. Moody—2nd.—880
3. Gridley Relay Carnival.
W. Ruch—1st. Place. Javelin. Distance 152' 3"
Freshmen 880 yd. Relay. 1st. Place. Time 14:8 5/10
V. Boles, C. Baumflek, K. Sims, W. Brownlie.
Freshmen-Sophomore 3/4 Mile Relay. 2nd. Place
V. Boles, C. Baumflek, W. Brownlie, G. Shafer.
Half Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Est. a new record 1:47 8/10
H. Huston, G. Shafer, V. Baumflek, R. Moody.
One Mile. 1st. Place. Established a New Record 3:42 3/10
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody.
Two Mile. 1st. Place. Established a New Record 9:03
W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, H. Darnell, R. Moody.
Medley (Sprint). 1st. Place. Established a New Record 3:59 8/10
R. Moody, H. Huston, V. Baumflek, W. Chaffer.
4. Milliken 5th. Annual Relay Carnival.
Half Mile. 1st. Place. Time 1:37 3/10
H. Huston, G. Shafer, V. Baumflek, R. Moody.
One Mile. 1st. Place. Est. a New Record. Time 3:39 1/10
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody
Medley (Sprint). 3rd. Place.
R. Moody, H. Huston, V. Baumflek, W. Chaffer.
5. Knox Relays. 2nd. Annual.
Won the Meet with 23 points.
W. Ruch—3rd. Place. Javelin 1 point.
Half Mile Relay. 2nd. Place.
H. Huston, G. Shafer, V. Baumflek, R. Moody

Track Team Results

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5. *Continued.*
 - One Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Time..... 3:37 4/10
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody.
 - Two Mile Relay. 2nd. Place.
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody.
6. Bradley 20th. Annual Interscholastic Track Meet.
 - Took part in relays only.
 - Half Mile. 3rd. Place.
H. Huston, G. Shafer, V. Baumflek, R. Moody.
 - One Mile. 2nd. Place.
H. Darnell, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody
 - Two Mile. 1st. Place. Est. a New Record. Time..... 8:38 4/10
7. Illinois College 10th. Annual Interscholastic Track Meet.
 - H. Huston 3rd. Place. Broad Jump. 3 points.
 - Quarter Mile Relay. 2nd. Place.
H. Huston, G. Shafer, C. Moody, V. Baumflek.
 - Half Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Time 1:37 2/10
H. Huston, G. Shafer, V. Baumflek, R. Moody.
 - One Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Est. a New Record. Time..... 3:40 3/10
H. Darnell, C. Johnson, W. Chaffer, R. Moody.
 - Medley (Sprint) Relay. 1st. Place. Time..... 3:55
R. Moody, H. Huston, V. Baumflek, W. Chaffer.
 - Medley (Distant) Relay. 1st. Place. Est. a New Record. Time..... 8:39
V. Baumflek, J. Ohlson, C. Johnson, H. Darnell.
8. University of Illinois 37th. Annual Interscholastic.
R. Moody 4th. 440 yd. dash. 1 point.
9. Havana Relay Carnival. 2nd. Annual.
 - W. Ruch 1st. Place. Javelin—Distance..... 150' 4"
 - H. Huston 2nd. Place. 100 yd. dash.
 - H. Huston 3rd. Place. Broad Jump.
 - Quarter Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Est. a New Record. Time..... :47 1/10
H. Huston, V. Baumflek, C. Moody, R. Moody.
 - Half Mile Relay. 2nd. Place.
H. Huston, V. Baumflek, C. Moody, R. Moody.
 - One Mile Relay. 1st. Place. Time..... 3:45 6/10
H. Huston, W. Chaffer, C. Johnson, R. Moody.
 - Two Mile Relay. 2nd. Place.
C. Johnson, W. Chaffer, J. Ohlsen, H. Darnell.
 - Medley (Sprint) Relay. 2nd. Place.
R. Moody, H. Huston, V. Baumflek, W. Chaffer.
10. 15th. Annual Greater Peoria.
Won by Central for 10th. time and 8th. in a row.
R. Moody Est. a new record for the 440 yd. dash. Time :51 9/10
R. Moody High point man. C. Moody 2nd. H. Huston 3rd.
Central 72 1/3, Manual 25 2/3, Averyville 25, East Peoria 3.

SUMMARY

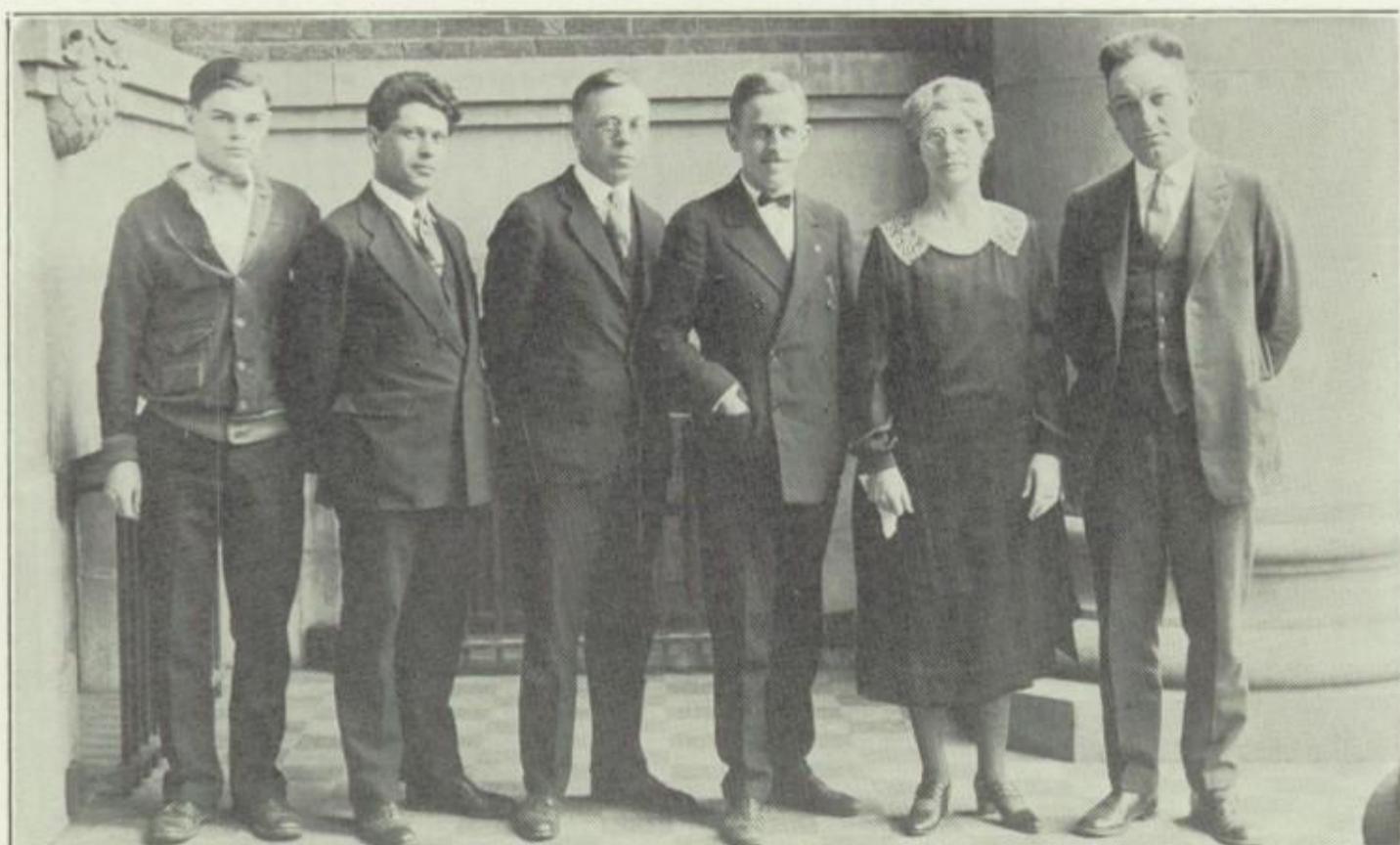
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1st. Place	1	3	5	2	2	1	1	0	15
2nd. Place	1	3	1	2	1	0	0	1	9
3rd. Place	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
Failed to place	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2

Races entered 29

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Capt. C. Johnson, V. Baumflek, H. Darnell, H. Huston, R. Moody, C. Moody, J. Ohlsen, G. Shafer,
W. Chaffer, W. Ruch.

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Athletic Board of Control

JOHN HOWARD.....*President*

WILLIAM HARDIN.....*Vice-President and Secretary*

MR. ELWOOD COLE.....*Treasurer*

Ten baseball games, nine football games, and eighteen basketball games, in addition to participation in ten track meets, comprised the varsity activities which the Athletic Association carried on under the supervision of the Athletic Board of Control. This board consists of Mrs. Wisman, Mr. Muirhead, Mr. Cole, Mr. Epstein, Mr. Herke, and Mr. Cromwell, along with John Howard, William Hardin, and William Cooley.

Many schools have special activities which they promote for those whom they want to enter their school. Peoria High is one of these. Last spring we were hosts to over one thousand grade school students of the city in a track and field meet. The same kind of meet will be held again this year. The greater Peoria Grade School tournament in basketball was sponsored by the Athletic Association this year. Over two hundred grade school students participated in this contest. Shields were given the winning teams of each division.

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Class Teams

FRESHMAN

Back row—

Jones, Raymond, Cavett,
R. Kipp, Page.

Front row—

Conway (coach), Greene,
Smith, Harrison, Moeller
Presley.

SENIOR

Back row—

Sedgwick, Nyberg, Zwei-
fel.

Front row—

Furrey, L. Moffett, V.
Baumfleck, Kennedy.



SOPHOMORE

Back row—

Hughes, Hoshier, Day,
Bremer, Baymiller.

Front row—

Bartholomew, Putnam,
Hammer, Whitten, C.
Baumfleck.

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Jennee Hammer



JUNIOR—CHAMPIONS

Back row—Tower, Shaffer, Landis, E. Lewke, Ross.
Front row—Hardin, Snyder, Garrison, Golden, Willms.

Class Basketball

Class basketball played a more prominent part in school athletics this year than ever before. With four evenly-matched teams in the running the games proved an unusually good substitute for varsity basketball.

When the half-way point was reached, all four teams were tied. The interest then rose to a degree heretofore unsurpassed, and all teams redoubled their efforts to cop the coveted honors. From this point on, every game was a battle to the death, and as the official schedule was completed, marked by keen rivalry, heartbreaking moments, and many upsets, the Seniors and Juniors had equal claims to the title. In the championship game, the Juniors, last year's winners, showed an unexpected burst of speed and defeated the upper classmen, thereby winning the hardest-earned honors in years.

Advisory Group Basketball

Advisory group basketball was given a big share of the basketball interest due to the absence of varsity competition late in the season. The advisory group leagues involved players whose spirit was indomitable.

The unusual calibre of many of the teams held the interest at a high point, and at the end of the regular playing schedule it was a toss-up as to the possible tournament winner. The highest ranking teams in both divisions engaged in an elimination tournament to decide the '25-'26 champs.

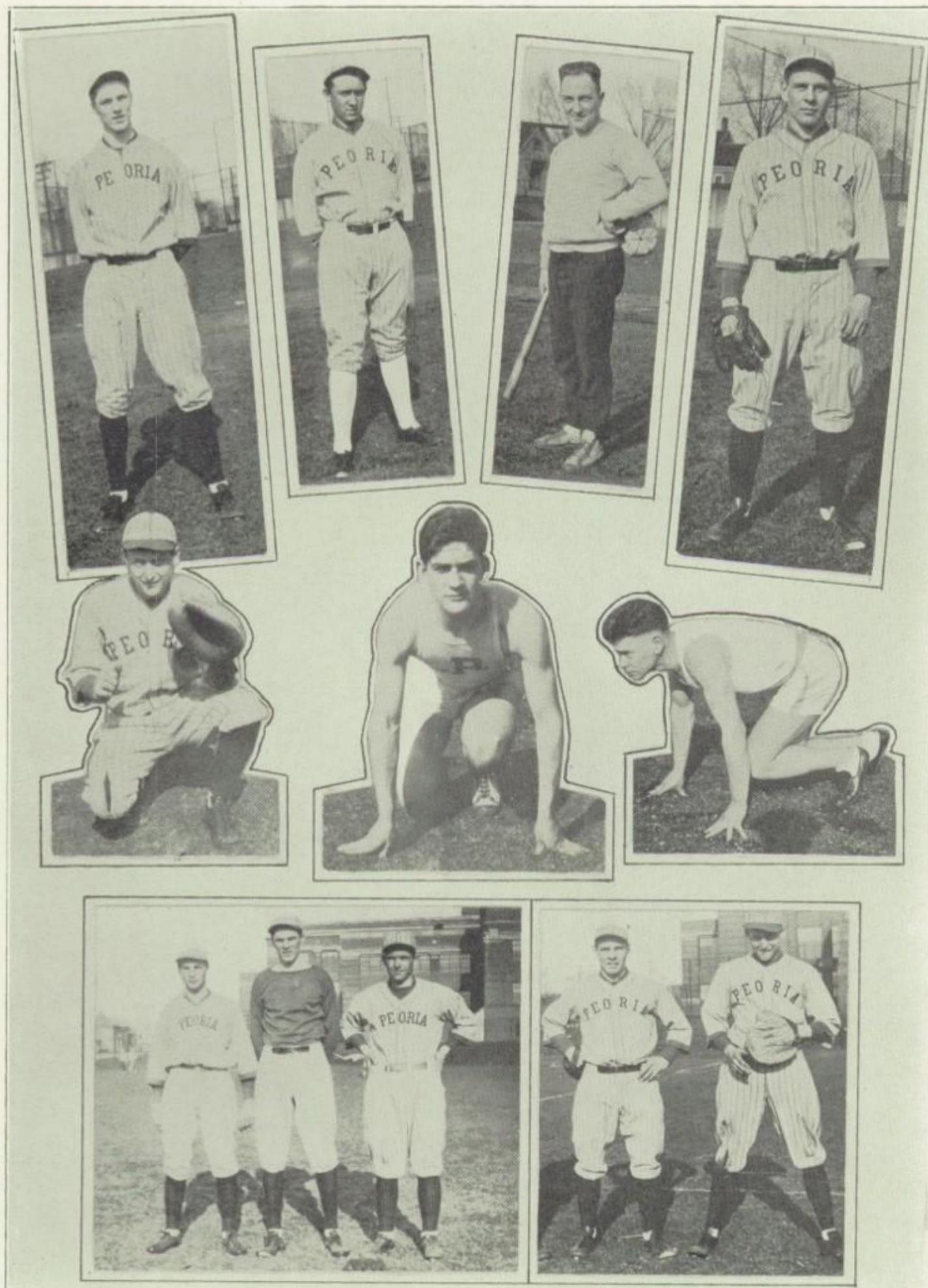
In the lightweight division, Burns, Clausen's, Wynd's and Troth's proved to be the best contenders, Clausen's finally winning from Wynd's in the finals. The all star team consisted of Whitten, Hosher, and Smith, of the winners, Owen, of Wynd's, and Snyder, of Troth's.

In the heavyweight division, after a hard struggle, the "City Slickers" won from the "Live Centers," their toughest rivals, in the semi-finals, and the Damon's in the finals.

Indoor Class Records

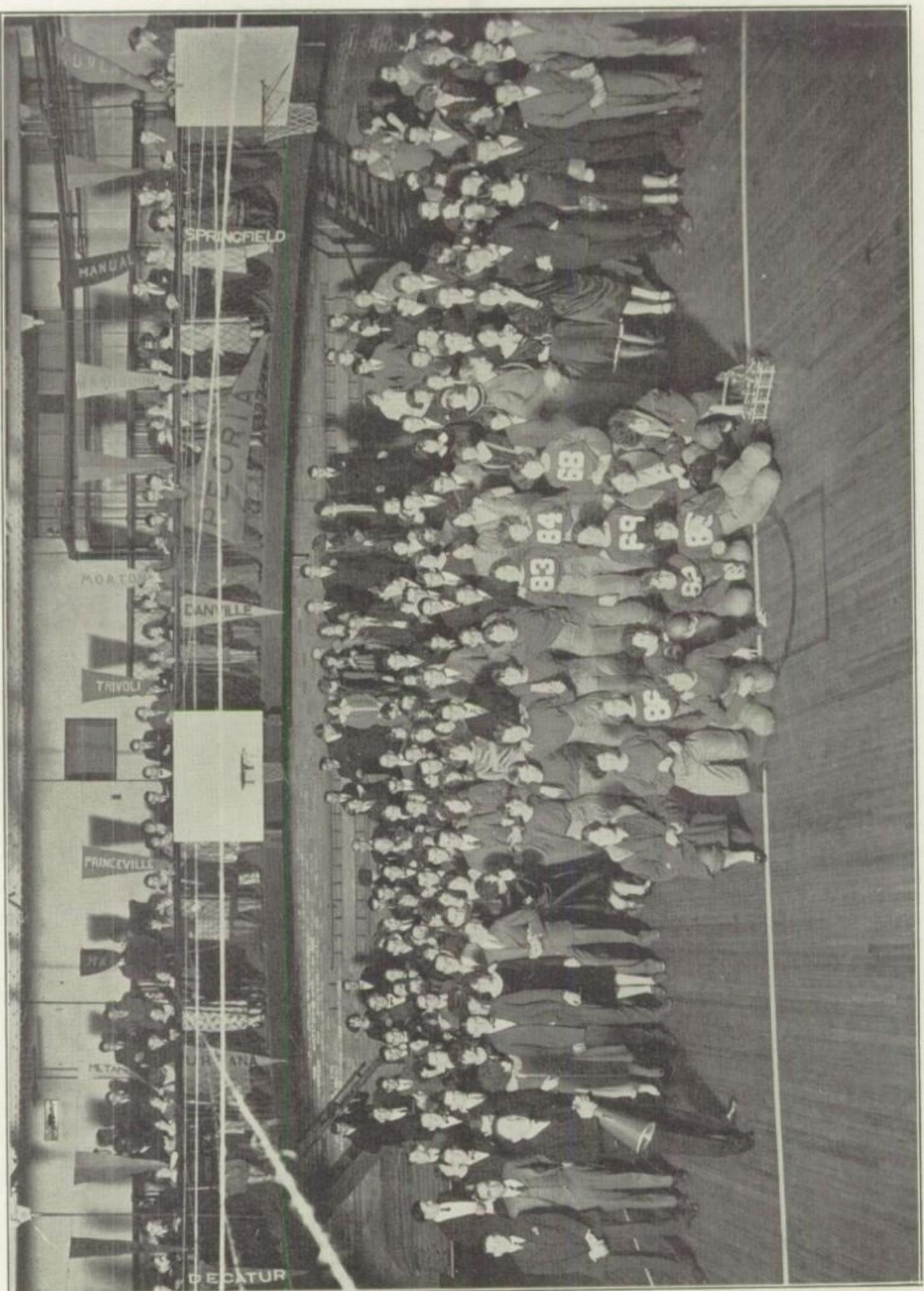
EVENT	NAME	CLASS	RECORD
20 yard dash	Don Harker	'20	.02 6/10
100 yard dash	Harry Huston	'26	.02 6/10
220 yard dash	Fay Roach	'22	.12 2/10
440 yard dash	Gus Shafer	'27	.28 1/10
880 yard dash	Richard Moody	'26	1.01 1/10
	Glen Schwartz	'23	2.18 8/10
	Charles Shaver	'27	2.18 8/10
1 mile run	Charles Shaver	'27	5.10 7/10
High Jump	Marquis Harper	'24	5' 4½"
	Calvin Moody	'26	5' 4½"
Broad jump	Harry Huston	'26	18' 6"
Shot put	Marquis Harper	'24	41' 10"
Pole vault	Robert Smith	'24	9' 5"
880 yard relay	Class of Vernon Baumfleck Calvin Moody Harry Huston Richard Moody	'26	1.54 9/10

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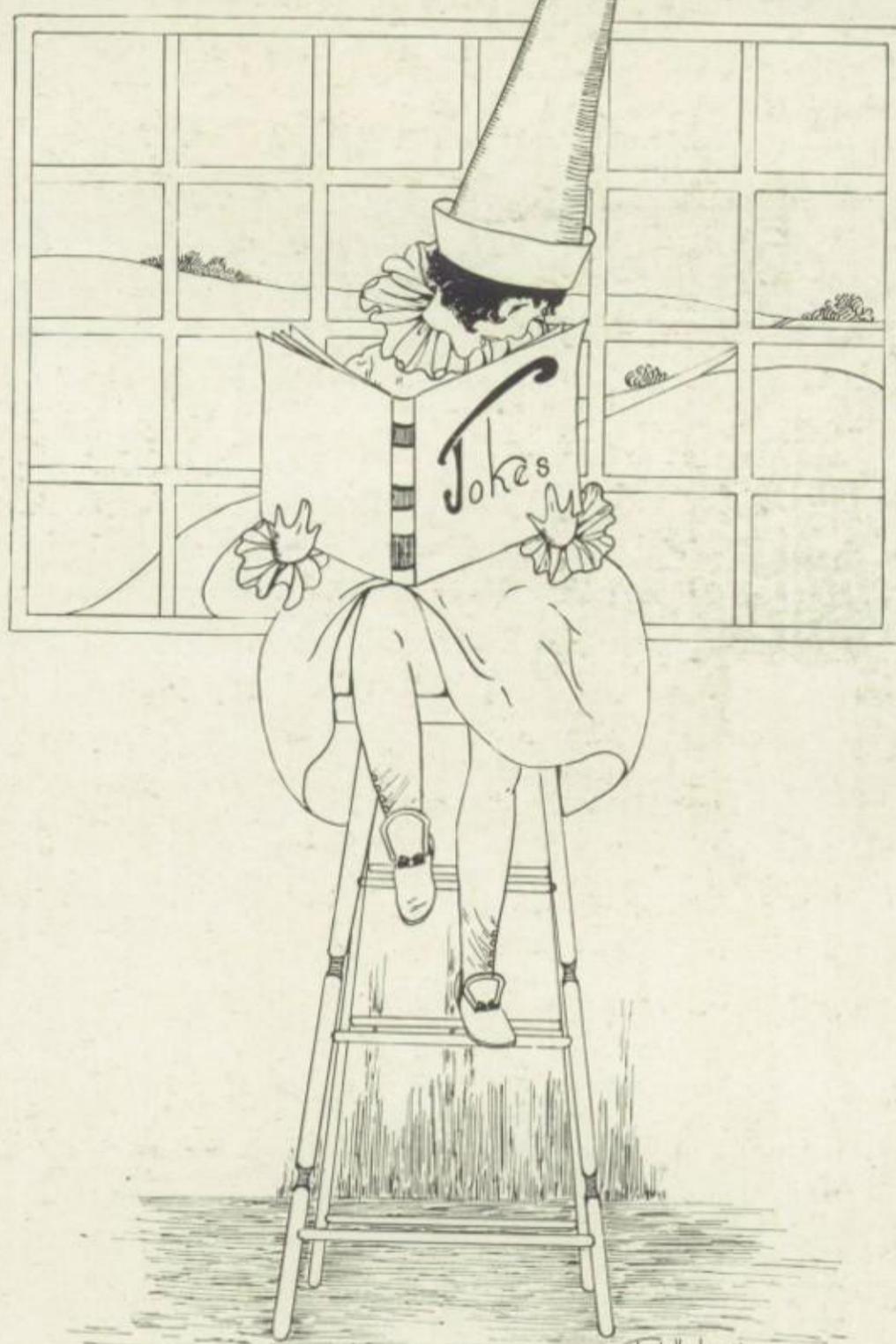
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HUMOR





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One way to save your teeth is to avoid arguments with large red-headed men, especially if they are of Hibernian descent.

The one thing that a married man will gladly buy his mother-in-law is a tombstone.

Some people marry for money and then want a divorce because love wasn't thrown into the bargain.

Teacher: "Johnny, how many days have each of the months?"

Johnny: "Thirty days has September.

All the rest I can't remember;

There's the calendar upon the wall—

Why bother me with them at all?"

"Pin money" is a term invented to stick husbands.

"The fish was that long. I tell you I never saw such a fish."

"No, I suppose you never did."

Money may talk a universal language, but at present it is found to have a decided American accent.

Lady (to grocer): "Please give me that bar of soap that is so highly spoken of in the advertisements."

1st man: "And you're the guy who said he'd be boss in his own home or know the reason why?"

2nd man: "Well I know the reason why, now."

Little words of wisdom
Little words of bluff,
Make the teacher tell us,
"Sit down that's enough."

Teacher: "Fill up the vacant seats on that side of the room."

V. R.: "How big does she think I am anyway?"

She: "Do you think I look like Helen Brown?"

He: "Yes, but lots worse in green."

I gave her many kisses,
And still she cried for more,
But I couldn't give her any
'Cause we had passed the candy store

1st Student: "So you flunked French. Why, I can't understand it."

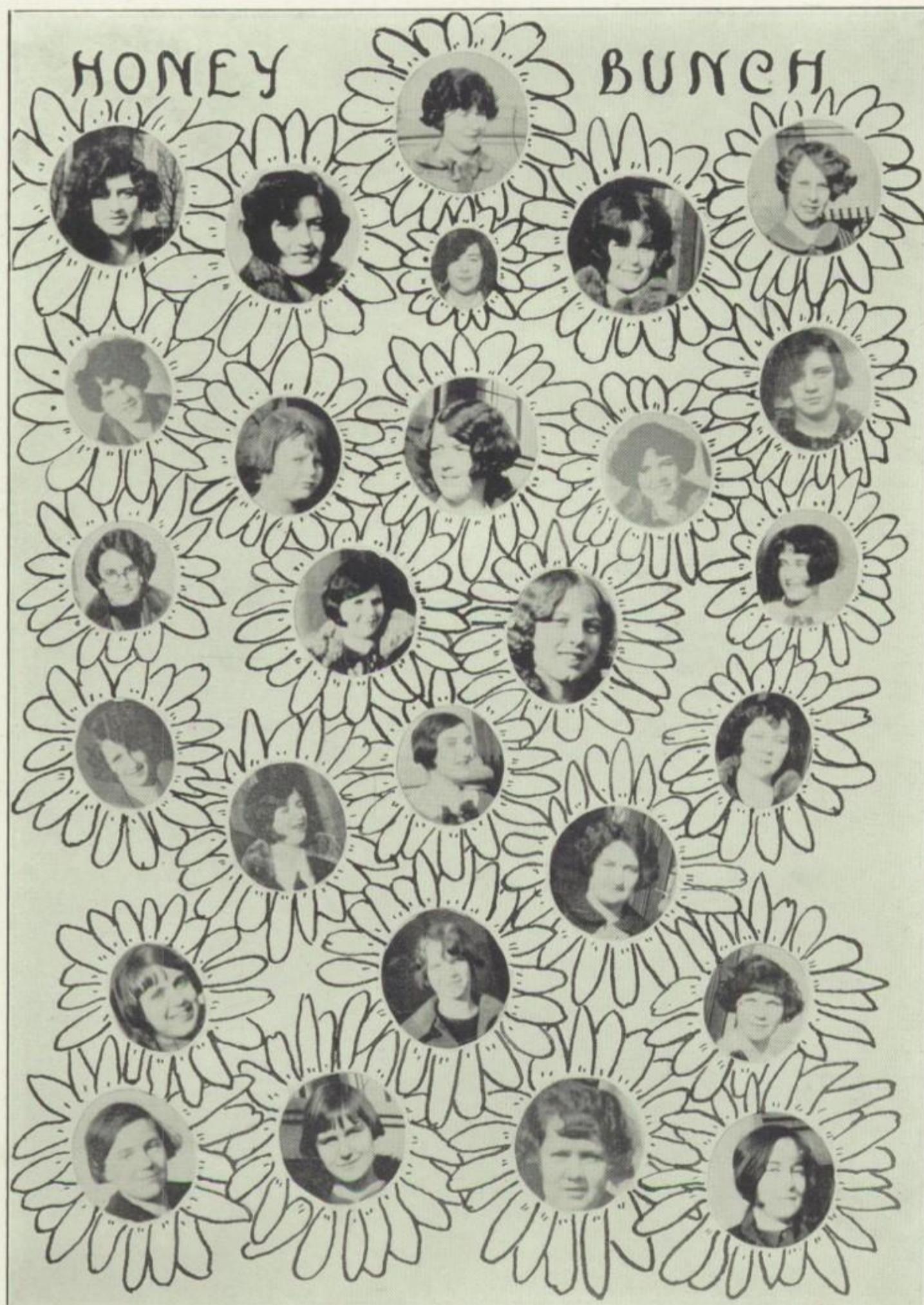
2nd Student: "Same here. That's why I flunked it."

Immigration official: "What do you intend to do when you enter the United States?"

Immigrant: "Anything to earn an honest living."

I. O.: "Well, you won't have much competition in your line of trade."

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Great Loves!

Esther Mohler and Casper Sherman
Louise McCormick and Spud Trudgen
Mary Merk and Merrill Strayer
Jane Orr and Dick Hoyt
Martha Price and Everett Hulsebus
Elta Marie Lutz and Verna Ringel
Bill Myers and Bertha Newton
Ethel Ewers and Harold Wiltz
Anne Cutter and Howard Brown
Jack Bontjes and Dorothy Parker
Keith Peters and unknown party
Albert Landers and Grace Marshall
Gus Shafer and Micky Landers
Robert Pettett and Mickey Wolfenbarger
Chad Howard and Helen Strubhar
Katherine Hoagland and Ray Buck
Seymour Stowe and Ruth Johnson
Dick Simpson and Virginia Solomon
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Mrs. Belsley (just before examination): "Now people, be sure and move your chairs at irregular intervals."

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"Yes'm, but that towel was put up there before the law was passed."

Mrs. Belsley: "Helen, what is the meaning of 'proem'?"
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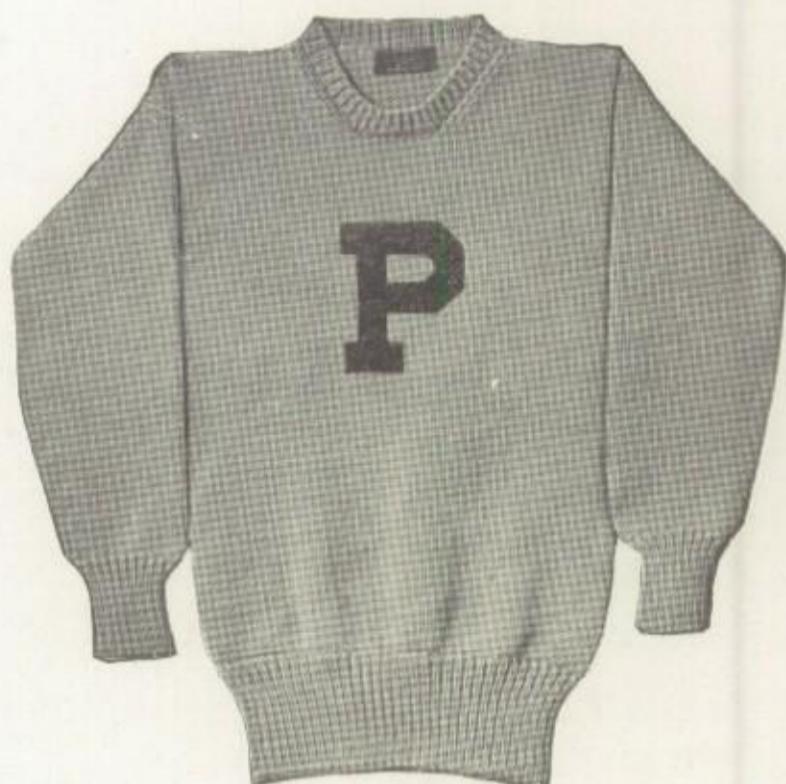
Mickey Landers: "Why is the powder puff so popular?"
Gus Strofer: "Because it's on to all the newest feminine wrinkles."

It is said that the original forests of the United States contained 5,297,592,744,321 feet of lumber but the name of the man who measured them is not mentioned.

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Applicant: "I courted for two years, sir."

Teacher: "What was the point of greatest suspense in the story?"
Student: "The point where the villan was hung."

"Did I appear nervous during the ceremony," said the bride.
"Not after Will said 'I will,'" replied the bridesmaid.

Teacher: "Why should we attempt to rise by our own efforts?"
Pupil: "Because you never can tell when the alarm clock may go off."

Teacher: "What goes in like a lion and comes out like a lamb?"
G. G. G.: "The landlord with the back rent."

"Who is the richest man in town?" asked the stranger of a man about the hotel.
"Can't say," was the reply, "the poker game only started an hour ago."

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Dumber: "Dunno."
Dumb: "Ammonia comes in a bottle and pneumonia comes in a chest."

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Dick Simpson: "Mother, when can I shave like Daddy does?"
Mother: "Not for a long, long time yet, sonny."
Dick: "Why not? I know a lot of words already."

We hear that mother, daughter and son, are at Hollywood-by-the-sea, Grand View-by-the-lake, and Cold Streams-by-the-border, therefore are we to suppose that we are to locate poor down-trodden father at Swivel Chair-by-the-desk?"

Some one might inform the reformers that woolen underwear has a lot to do with the increased dancing of the Charleston.

"Did you see her dress? I told her it was exquisite."
"I told her it was horrid."
"Oh, then you liked it."

Our idea of a miserly wife is one, whose husband's name being Gaspar calls him "Par" to save the "Gas."

Teacher: "Why is a certain part of the church called the altar?"
Student: "Because that is where the ladies change their names."



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Doctor: "Well what's the matter with you?"

Scotchman: "If I tell you will it be half price?"

Miss Hall: "Oh, Mary, and I distinctly told you to notice when the milk boiled over."

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Frosh: "Did it hurt her?"

Soph: "No, but it broke three of my fingers."

Teacher: "What causes heat and cold?"

Student: "The janitors."

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Mrs. Belsley: "If a child is mean, selfish, and possessed of like traits what kind of a man will he grow up to be?"

Student: "A lawyer."

He: "You're a girl after my own heart!"

She: "Thank you, but if the reverse of the proposition is true you're due to be disappointed as I am engaged."

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Little Willie had gone to bring in the kittens. His mother, hearing a shrill mewing, called out, "Don't hurt the kittens, Willie."

"Oh, no, mother," replied Willie, "I'm carrying them very carefully by the stems."

It has been asked by more than one disgusted gentleman that if ladies are allowed to use lipstick, powder, rouge, etc., why are not men to shave in restaurants.

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Lucia Keevers: "I wish I knew it."

The receivers would not work and so the radio fan asked the expert what was wrong. A long list of questions were asked somewhere in the middle came this, "Are the batteries charged?"

"Why, the whole set is charged," replied the owner.



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